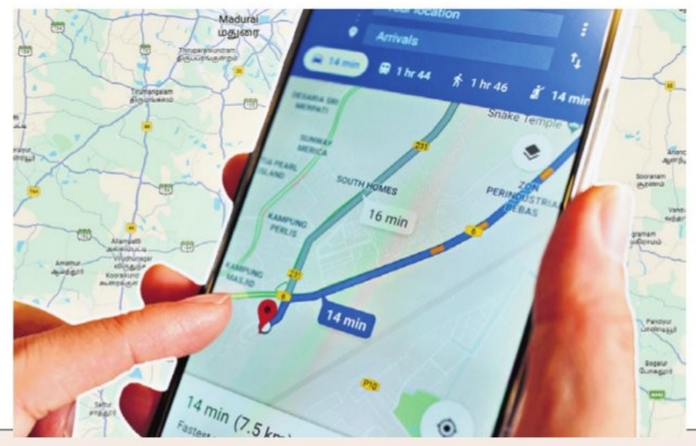
THE NEW INDIAN EXPRESS

BENGALURU • FRIDAY • MARCH 13, 2026 • ₹9.00 • PAGES 44 • LATE CITY EDITION



READ SHARE FOLLOW

newindianexpress.com

facebook.com/thenewindianxpress twitter.com/newindianxpress

instagram.com/newindianexpress

GOOGLE OVERHAULS MAPS APP, INTRODUCES MORE AI FEATURES

Google Maps will depend more on AI to help people figure out the best way to get somewhere as part of a major redesign unveiled on Thursday

OVERHAUL DESIGNED BY HOMEGROWN AI

The overhaul driven by Google's Gemini technology will introduce two AI features into the digital mapping service. Gemini's recommendations will draw upon a database spanning more than 300 million places and reviews from more than 500 million contributors that have been accumulated since Google Maps' debut more than 20 years ago

ASK MAPS AND IMMERSIVE NAVIGATION

- One tool called Ask Maps will expand upon conversational abilities that Google brought to the service last November
- Gemini has also created a new tool dubbed Immersive Navigation that will present a three-dimensional perspective designed to give users a better grasp of where they are at any moment in time

2 billion

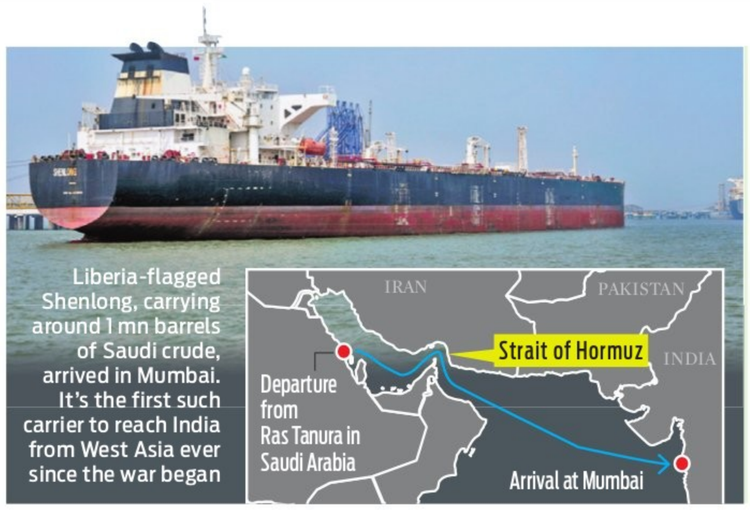
PEOPLE USE GOOGLE'S MAP APPLICATION GLOBALLY

CHENNAI ▪ MADURAI ▪ VIJAYAWADA ▪ BENGALURU ▪ KOCHI ▪ HYDERABAD ▪ VISAKHAPATNAM ▪ COIMBATORE ▪ KOZHIKODE ▪ THIRUVANANTHAPURAM ▪ BELAGAVI ▪ BHUBANESWAR ▪ SHIVAMOGGA ▪ MANGALURU ▪ TIRUPATI ▪ TIRUCHY ▪ TIRUNELVELI ▪ SAMBALPUR ▪ HUBBALLI ▪ DHARMAPURI ▪ KOTTAYAM ▪ KANNUR ▪ VILLUPURAM ▪ KOLLAM ▪ TADEPALLIGUDEM ▪ NAGAPATTINAM ▪ THRISSUR ▪ KALABURAGI

MODI SPEAKS TO IRAN PREZ

DISCUSSES SAFETY OF INDIANS, UNINTERRUPTED TRANSIT OF ENERGY

Prime Minister Narendra Modi spoke with Iranian President Masoud Pezeshkian, expressing deep concern over rising hostilities and the growing civilian toll. He stressed the safety and security of Indian nationals in the region as well as importance of uninterrupted transit of goods and energy supplies. "Had a conversation with Iranian President, Dr. Masoud Pezeshkian, to discuss the serious situation in the region. Expressed deep concern over the escalation of tensions and the loss of civilian lives as well as damage to civilian infrastructure." This was their first conversation since the conflict began.



Liberia-flagged Shenlong, carrying around 1 mn barrels of Saudi crude, arrived in Mumbai. It's the first such carrier to reach India from West Asia ever since the war began

TWO OIL SHIPMENTS ARRIVE

WAR WATCH

Apart from Shenlong docked in Mumbai, an Indian-flagged very large crude carrier with around 2 million barrels of Iraqi crude arrived in Indian waters. It is headed to Paradip in Odisha

Reports suggest two other oil tankers headed for India switched off the tracking system, crossed the Strait between March 5 and 10

Indian killed in attack by Iran against US-owned oil tanker SafeSea Vishnu in Iraqi waters

28 Indian-flagged vessels on the east and 24 on the west of the Strait. Have 778 Indian sailors aboard

3 more cargo ships bombed in the Gulf. In all, Iran has attacked at least 16 ships in the Strait so far

Some ships faking themselves as Chinese to avoid Iranian attacks

India co-sponsors UNSC resolution condemning 'egregious' attacks by Iran against Gulf nations

INDIA TO WAIT & WATCH

US mounts heat on big mfg economies; exporters wary

PUSHPITA DEY @ New Delhi

WITH the Trump administration invoking Section 301 of the Trade Act against major economies, including India, the government will take a wait and watch stance till the US prepares the final report, said an official source in the know.

Through 301, the US is trying to offset revenue loss after its Supreme Court struck down Trump's global tariffs. In India, the probe triggered uncertainty among exporters in manufacturing sectors like steel, electrical goods, textile etc.

The Office of the United States Trade Representative (USTR) initiated a probe into manufacturing practices in several economies, including India, under Section 301 of the Trade Act of 1974, citing concerns over structural excess capacity. The investigation will assess whether such policies distort markets or restrict US commerce by driving overproduction, trade surpluses and underutilised industrial capacity across key sectors.

"India is adopting a wait-and-watch stance on the Section 301 investigation by the USTR. New Delhi will evaluate the report once released before deciding on any next steps," said the government official.

A Section 301 trade probe allows the office of USTR to examine and potentially punish (by imposing higher tariffs) foreign trade practices deemed unfair, discriminatory, or restrictive to US commerce

"Evidence suggests the solar module sector is plagued by excess capacity, including that India's current module manufacturing is nearly triple the annual domestic demand. India also has created significant excess capacity in petrochemicals, steel, and other industries," stated USTR.

Confederation of Indian Textile Industry (CITI) sought government intervention to safeguard the interests of the textiles and apparel sector, as the USTR announcement brings more uncertainty.

According to steel exporters, with many duties like anti-dumping duty already in place, the sector is grappling with multiple challenges.

LPG rationing starts, kerosene back in mix

RAKESH KUMAR @ New Delhi

AFTER denying LPG shortage over the past few days, the government on Thursday acknowledged the pressure on supplies and introduced demand-management measures for both domestic and commercial consumers.

The waiting period for booking a refill has been raised to 45 days in rural and remote areas and to 25 days in urban areas. Earlier, the minimum booking interval across the country was 21 days.

In another key decision, the government said OMCs would allocate 20% of the average monthly commercial LPG requirement starting Thursday. The government had earlier directed oil companies to prioritise supplies to domestic LPG consumers, prompting protests from restaurants and other businesses.

Petroleum and Natural Gas Minister Hardeep Singh Puri said commercial LPG is being regulated to prevent hoarding and black marketing. On natural gas availability, Puri said large LNG cargoes are arriving daily through alternative supply routes, adding that India has sufficient arrangements to maintain supply even if the conflict continues for a prolonged period.

The government has also activated alternative fuel options to ease pressure on LPG and natural gas supplies. Kerosene is being made available through retail outlets and the public distribution system, while fuel oil is being supplied to industrial and commercial consumers.

The Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change has advised State Pollution Control Boards to permit the temporary use of such fuels during the crisis period. P14

1ST STATEMENT BY NEW SUPREME LEADER

CLOSE ALL U.S. BASES IN WEST ASIA OR FACE ATTACKS: MOJTABA

We will extract compensation from the enemy, and if they refuse, we will seize as much of their assets as we deem appropriate, and if that is not possible, we will destroy an equivalent amount of their assets

Mojtaba Khamenei, Iran's newly appointed supreme leader, in his first statement released through state TV

AGENCIES @ Dubai

IRAN's new supreme leader Mojtaba Khamenei on Thursday issued his first statement since succeeding his father Ali Khamenei, vowing to avenge the deaths of Iranian leaders and civilians, including the 165 killed in the airstrike on a school, and threatening to step up Tehran's attacks against US assets in the region.

In his hardline message, he asked Iran's neighbours to close US bases in their territory telling them that the promise of US protection is a myth. He also announced that the Strait of Hormuz would remain closed and ships that try to pass without permission would be destroyed.

Mojtaba's statement, released through the state TV, declared that revenge against US and Israel is his priority. "A limited amount of this revenge has so far taken concrete form, but until it is fully achieved, this will remain among our priorities," it said. Notably, he did not appear on TV or release a video or audio message. The text of the written statement was read out by a newsreader.

According to reports, Mojtaba, 56, was injured in the joint US-Israel strike on February 28 which killed his father Ali Khamenei. So far, more than 1,200 people were reportedly killed in the war.

470 villages in K'taka lack mobile connectivity

VINCENT D'SOUZA @ Mangaluru

WITH 470 villages lacking mobile connectivity, Karnataka has found its place among states with a significant number of telecom "black spots", revealed data shared by the Department of Telecommunications in the Lok Sabha on Wednesday.

As of January 31, 2026, India has 8,985 villages that do not have mobile networks. Karnataka, which tops South India in terms of such villages, follows Odisha (1,237), Arunachal Pradesh (1,185), Madhya Pradesh (960) and Maharashtra (872).

Other southern states reported far fewer coverage gaps – Andhra Pradesh with 394 villages, Telangana with 228 and Tamil Nadu with only three. Kerala has no uncovered villages. Within Karnataka, the largest connectivity gaps are concentrated in forested and hilly regions. Uttara Kannada accounts for the highest number with 189 uncovered villages, followed by Shivamogga (75), Chikkamagaluru (40), Chamarajanagar (25), Belagavi (19) and Kalaburagi(18).

The Centre said it is implementing the BharatNet project to provide broadband connectivity in villages, alongside a 4G saturation initiative under which 23,994 mobile towers have been commissioned across the country so far, sources said.

Karnataka, which tops South India in terms of such villages, follows Odisha (1,237), Arunachal Pradesh (1,185), Madhya Pradesh (960) and Maharashtra (872). Within Karnataka, the largest connectivity gaps are concentrated in forested and hilly regions. Uttara Kannada accounts for the highest number with 189 uncovered villages, followed by Shivamogga (75), Chikkamagaluru (40) and Chamaraja-nagar (25)

—Telecom dept

Bridge crash forces students to walk 10km to reach towns

RAGHOTTAM KOPPAR @ Gadag

AT a time when the government is focusing on implementing AI and other advanced technologies in various departments, students of Kurlageri and its surrounding villages in Nargund taluk of Gadag district are struggling to reach their schools and colleges due to a lack of bus service. The public transport came to a halt after the Bennehalla bridge on the Arabhavi-Challakere state highway collapsed last monsoon, and repair work is yet to begin.

Students appearing for their PU exams have been walking 10km every day to reach schools and colleges in Nargund, Navalgund and other towns for the past eight months. Hundreds of students from these villages, who will be appearing for SSLC exams beginning next week, are among these helpless victims.

Daily wage labourers hailing from the villages too are forced to walk 10km or travel about 25km on private transport to reach these towns.

The villagers said their complaints to local authorities fell on deaf ears. Last week, police officials saw students walking and helped them reach their examination centres on time. P7

The collapsed Bennehalla bridge on Challakere-Arabhavi state highway

FIRST DAY, FIRST SHOW

West Bengal Chief Minister Mamata Banerjee greets newly appointed Governor R N Ravi during his swearing-in ceremony at Lok Bhavan in Kolkata on Thursday | PTI

EXPRESS READ

New income cap of Rs 3L for ration cards likely

Bengaluru: Health and Family Welfare Minister Dinesh Gundu Rao on Thursday said the government may increase the income limit for Priority Household Cards (ration cards) from Rs 1.2 lakh to Rs 3 lakh | P4

Cabinet passes Bill to punish honour killings

Bengaluru: The state Cabinet on Thursday approved a Bill that assures freedom of choice in marriage and prevention and prohibition of caste-based crimes and brings honour to inter-caste marriages | P4

WITH THIS ISSUE CITY'S BEST WEEKEND GUIDE INDULGE 44 PAGES, INCLUDING 24 OF INDULGE (TABLOID)

State's AI panel to ensure ethics, data security

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

IN order to facilitate ethicality and transparency in the usage and application of Artificial Intelligence (AI), the Karnataka government constituted a Committee on Responsible Artificial Intelligence on Thursday. It will develop a Responsible AI policy and implementation roadmap for Karnataka, and is scheduled to submit an interim report in 60 days, and a final set of recommendations in 90 days.

"The committee brings together leading experts from industry, academia and policy to help shape a governance framework that promotes innovation while safeguarding transparency, accountability and citizen trust. This initiative will help Karnataka continue to lead in building an AI ecosystem that is both cutting-edge and responsible," said IT/BT Minister Priyank Kharge. P6

SUNRISERS IN FOCUS

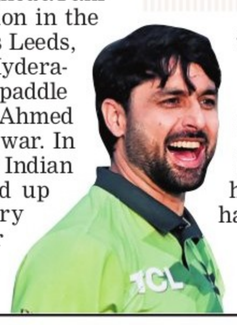
IPL-linked team signs Pak's Abrar in Hundred

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Chennai

JUST after noon on Thursday at Piccadilly Lights in London, there was a landmark moment in the world of franchise cricket. An Indian Premier League (IPL) linked team signed a Pakistan player at auction in the Hundred. Sunrisers Leeds, who also own the Hyderabad side, raised the paddle for Pakistan's Abrar Ahmed to spark a bidding war. In the end, Sun TV, the Indian media giant, ended up buying the mystery spinner for over $250,000. It's the first time a side with direct links to the IPL has bought a Pakistan player in the league's history. Three other sides in the Hundred have investors who have stakes in the IPL.

It's significant because a few weeks ago, a report did the rounds saying IPL-linked teams were planning on not signing any Pakistan players. It prompted the England and Wales Cricket Board (ECB) to remind all the teams of consequences if there was discrimination based on nationality. Last year, there were no men's players in any of the Hundred teams, exactly at a time when the ECB opened it up to Indian investment. It's also important to keep in mind that no teams in the SA20 — all six teams are owned by investors who also have significant IPL stakes — have purchased a Pakistan cricketer in three years. Sun TV, interestingly, also own a team there (Eastern Cape). But Pakistan players have previously featured in IPL's sister teams.

Sun TV's acquisition of Ahmed, who has a steller record in international cricket, has invited some vitriol on social media, with several Indian fans upset with it.



Mystery spinner Tariq bought by non-IPL franchise

Apart from Ahmed, the only other Pakistan cricketer to have been bought in auction was Usman Tariq. Birmingham Phoenix, who has American ownership, signed him for £140,000. There were 13 Pak players in the men's auction after pacer Shaheen Shah Afridi withdrew. None of them attracted bids when they were made available for sale, though they could re-enter the auction again.

4 new spl def entities in Vision 2047

JAVARIA RANA @ New Delhi

THE Centre plans to create specialised new entities for data, drones and cognitive warfare while expanding missile defence capabilities to protect critical national assets, according to a long-term roadmap for the armed forces published on Thursday.

The roadmap titled 'Defence Forces Vision 2047', was uploaded on the Headquarters Integrated Defence Staff website, laying out a blueprint for the organisational and technological evolution of the military over the next two decades.

It proposes the creation of four new tri-service entities — a Defence Geo-Spatial Agency, Data Force, Drone Force and Cognitive Warfare Action Force — which reflect the growing centrality of data, unmanned systems and perception warfare in contemporary conflicts.

These formations are intended to support the armed forces' shift towards data-centric and multi-domain warfare, where emerging technologies such as artificial intelligence, robotics, autonomous systems and advanced analytics are expected to increasingly shape battlefield outcomes. The plan also divides the military's transformation into three phases leading up to the centenary of India's independence in 2047.

The first phase till 2030 will focus on transition, including organisational restructuring, strengthening deterrence, building indigenous capabilities, enhancing border control, improving maritime and air domain awareness and integrating emerging tech into combat operations. The 2030-40 phase will focus on consolidation. From 2040 to 2047, a world-class military capable of operating seamlessly across land, air, maritime, cyber, space and cognitive domains will be developed.

Operationalisation of Sudarshan Chakra

The operationalisation of Project Sudarshan Chakra, a layered air and ballistic missile defence architecture to shield critical infra and civilian centres from aerial threats, will be done in the 2030-40 phase

ALMANAC TODAY

Friday: 13.03.2026 • Year: Vishwavasu • Ayana: Uttharayana • Ritu: Sishir • Masa: Phalguna • Paksha: Krishna • Tithi: Dasami 5.42 am • Nakshatra: Purvashada 12.56 am • Moon in Makara Rashi • Rahukaala: 10:30 am to 12:00 pm • Gulikakala: 07:30 am to 09:00 am • Yamaganda: 01:30 pm to 03:00 pm

WEATHER

MIN 18°C | MAX 34°C

FORECAST: Sunny

Sunrise 06.28 am | Sunset 06.30 pm | Moonrise 02.03 am | Moonset 01.31 pm

• The government assured that domestic LPG supply remains adequate • No shortage of Piped Natural Gas supply in Bengaluru

Govt warns against LPG hoarding , black marketing

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

THE Karnataka Food, Civil Supplies and Consumer Affairs Department on Thursday warned of strict action against hoarding and black marketing of LPG cylinders.

The government assured that domestic LPG supply remains adequate despite disruptions linked to the West Asia conflict. After reviewing stocks with major oil companies, the government urged consumers not to panic book cylinders.

The government has directed oil companies to ensure uninterrupted LPG supply to essential public institutions.

A press release said that deputy commissioners across the state have been instructed to monitor the situation and take strict action against illegal hoarding or transportation of gas cylinders under the Essential Commodities Act, 1955 and other related regulations.

No shortage of piped natural gas in Bengaluru, says GAIL

There is no shortage of Piped Natural Gas (PNG) supply in Bengaluru to industries and hotels connected to the network will continue to receive uninterrupted supply, GAIL Gas Limited said on Thursday.

Addressing an interactive session on "Natural Gas Supply Outlook and Industry Preparedness" organised by the Bangalore Chamber of Industry and Commerce (BCIC), GAIL officials said PNG supply in the city remains stable. They said that industries, hotels and commercial establishments connected to the PNG network need not worry about disruptions. Those currently dependent on commercial LPG can also switch to PNG connections within about two months, subject to network availability.

They added that GAIL is expanding its pipeline network across the city to enable more consumers to shift to the cleaner and more efficient fuel. The officials also referred to a Government of India notification stating that industrial and commercial users will receive up to 80% of their average gas consumption over the past six months, while domestic and CNG segments will continue to receive full supply.

Cooks use firewood to prepare food at Freedom Park on Thursday | NAGARAJA GADEKAL

WEDDING CATERERS IN A FIX

INDRA S @ Bengaluru

THE ongoing shortage of commercial LPG cylinders and priority being accorded to domestic users and essential institutions have begun affecting the wedding industry, leaving caterers struggling to manage large-scale bookings.

Industry representatives say the situation has created uncertainty for several weddings scheduled for the coming days that had been booked months in advance.

Ramesh Reddy, president of the Karnataka Wedding Halls Owners Association, said they have submitted a representation to the state's food and civil supplies minister seeking urgent intervention.

"Most weddings have already been fixed and invitation cards distributed. Each function involves cooking for around 1,500 guests. If the supply situation continues like this, it may become difficult to manage after the next two or three days," Reddy said.

AVS Nagaraj, the owner of AVS Nagaraj Enterprises, said, "Most of the wedding bookings are already confirmed and arrangements have been made. Suddenly this problem of LPG shortage cropped up, and we do not know how to proceed," he said. Sourcing cylinders through alternative channels has also become difficult. Suggestions to switch to alternatives such as induction stoves or biofuels are impractical for large gatherings, he said.

Sri Maiyya Catering owner Anantha Maiyya said caterers may be forced to cancel orders if the shortage continues. "We have already taken orders for upcoming events, but gas supply is not coming regularly. The situation is such that we can neither proceed with the work nor cancel it easily," he said.

"People are looking to buy LPG in the black market, but even there it is not available. Without fuel, managing large wedding functions is extremely difficult," he added.

Will ensure uninterrupted opeation of eateries, says hotels association

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

BENGALURU hotels will not be shutting down," said PC Rao, Honorary President of Bangalore Hotels Association (BHA) amidst the rumours of the hotels being closed, adding that even if the hotels were closed we are ensuring that it will be opened for services despite the supply crisis in the commercial LPG cylinders.

Speaking at a press conference on Thursday, Rao said that hotels serve a large section of the city's population, including bachelors, office-goers, IT employees, hospital staff and other residents who depend on eateries for daily meals, hence will not be closed.

The association said the hospitality sector requires about 22,000 to 25,000 commercial LPG cylinders a day, but the supply has dropped significantly in recent days. Currently, only a fraction of the requirement is being released as LPG distribution is being prioritised for domestic households and essential institutions such as hospitals, anganwadis and hostel kitchens.

Hotel representatives said they had held discussions with senior officials, including Chief Secretary Shalini Rajneesh, seeking urgent intervention to restore supplies. They said the industry would be able to function if at least 50% of the usual gas requirement is provided, that is around 10,000 to 12,000 cylinders. Many eateries have already begun limiting food options and using alternative cooking methods such as induction stoves to manage with the available resources.

The association said it has also explored alternative options and contacted departments, including the forest department for firewood, to examine possible solutions. He also added that they received information from suppliers indicating that shipments of LPG had recently arrived and that the situation could improve once the gas reaches distributors and hotels receive confirmed cylinder allocations.

While acknowledging that some hotels have closed temporarily due to the shortage, the association urged owners not to shut down and instead operate with restricted menus if necessary.

1,800 city hotels run on GAIL connections

BHA on Thursday said that around 1,800 hotels in Bengaluru operate using gas connections supplied by Gas Authority of India Limited (GAIL) through piped natural gas (PNG) and compressed natural gas (CNG). The association said it had helped reopen a hotel that had shut down due to the ongoing LPG shortage. It added that it is planned to request for support from hotels with GAIL connections to provide support to establishments facing supply issues by sharing basic resources and cooking limited food items, which can then be supplied to affected hotels

HOTELS CHARGING MORE

The customers visiting some hotels have found an additional Rs 30 charge for "gas supply issue" on their bill, reflecting eateries passing on rising fuel costs to customers

Vehicles queue up to fill CNG at an outlet on Mysuru Road near Nayandahalli in Bengaluru on Thursday | SHASHIDHAR BYRAPPA

Yelahanka power station closure not to hit supply

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@Bengaluru:

THE state energy department on Thursday said the shutdown of the 350 MW gas power station in Yelahanka will not affect the state's capacity to meet the rising demand for power in summer. On Thursday, the state recorded the highest demand in the last two years – 18,800 MW, at 10.30 am.

Last year on March 7 and 19, the state recorded the next highest demands of 18,395 MW.

"Due to the West Asia conflict, Gas Authority of India (GAIL) has stopped gas supply to Yelahanka gas power plant. Gas demand in other sectors is more essential at the moment. Shutting down of the Yelahanka plant will not affect power generation at least for sometime," said a Karnataka Power Corporation Limited official. There is an uptick in solar power generation. There is also power supply from other sources which can meet the rising demand, he said.

The state's total power generation is 36,000-37,000 MW of which around 56% is from renewable energy sources.

Looking for alternatives, colleges switch to firewood, biogas, induction

RASHMI PATIL @ Bengaluru

COMMERCIAL gas shortage in Karnataka has hit private educational institutions and hostels run on campuses, forcing them to switch to firewood as fuel to cook for students. Some institutions are using biogas to cook food, while others have started exploring alternative options by placing an indent for induction stoves.

While switching to firewood for cooking, many have reduced menu by 90%

Dr Venkatesh Boddapati, secretary for international students' hostels at BMS College of Engineering, said, "There are 2,400 students staying in our hostels. We have already switched to firewood because of unavailability of commercial LPG. We have reduced 90% of food items on the menu and are sticking to cooking rice, rasam, curd rice and sambar."

Meanwhile, Reva University with over 2,500 students in its hostel and a canteen with a capacity to serve 15,000 students on a daily basis, has already started looking for an alternative option. Dr Ramalinga Reddy, Pro Vice Chancellor, said, "For today, we have enough supply of LPG but the hostel authorities are already exploring alternative options like firewood and induction stoves. We will make sure students get food and don't suffer."

Rev Father Arvind, St Joseph's College hostel incharge, said, "We installed a biogas unit many years ago which is used to produce gas using waste generated on campus. This same gas is used for cooking in the hostel. We have no other option until we get sufficient LPG. Therefore, we have stopped making food items like idli, dosa and other fried items that require a lot of gas. Instead, emphasis has been placed on making food items of rice. If the situation continues like this, we will also have to buy firewood."

Similarly, CMR Institute of Technology has already placed an indent for induction stoves and is planning to place electric stoves on every floor in the hostel so that students can make noodles or soups.

Brand K'taka to support 4K MSMEs

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@Bengaluru

THE Brand Karnataka initiative will place a special focus on promoting women-led MSMEs, with around 4,000 enterprises set to receive handholding support for branding, product positioning, quality certification and market access, said Rohini Sindhuri Dasari, Secretary of the Commerce and Industries Department.

She was speaking at the Federation of Karnataka Chambers of Commerce and Industry's celebration of International Women's Day on Thursday.

Sindhuri further said that under the state government's Raising and Accelerating MSME Performance (RAMP) programme, Rs 6.40 crore has been allocated for women-focused interventions aimed at strengthening women's entrepreneurship and enabling women-led MSMEs to scale up and compete in larger markets.

EXPRESS READ

Bescom urges people to stop power misuse

Bengaluru: BESCOM on Thursday urged people not to misuse their domestic electricity connections. It appealed to them not to use their electricity connections for commercial or non-domestic purposes. BESCOM officials said that many electricity connections obtained under domestic tariff (LT-1) are being used for commercial purposes. Such connections will be disconnected immediately. Legal action will be initiated against those who misuse their power connections. "Consumers, who are using domestic electricity connections for non-domestic purposes, are requested to visit the BESCOM sub-division office and apply for a tariff category change," they said.

Spl toilet system for transgenders: DKS

Bengaluru: Deputy Chief Minister DK Shivakumar, who also holds the Bengaluru development portfolio, informed the Council that steps will be taken to provide separate facilities for transgenders in public toilets in Bengaluru. Taking into account the suggestion of Congress MLC Aarti Krishna during the Question Hour, Shivakumar said 441 additional spots have been identified in Bengaluru to build public toilets. He also said that She Toilets are being built in Bengaluru.

Horoscopes By Holiday

HOLIDAY MATHIS

13th March : Jupiter Rules Friday the 13th The lunar opposition to Jupiter suggests big feelings stuffed in a tight container. Combine it with the Pisces sun on a day known to project meaning onto ordinary events and we get a heightened emotional climate. Small events are inflated into signs, though not necessarily bad luck. Jupiter in Cancer is fundamentally benevolent. He wants people fed, safe and included.

ARIES (Mar 21 - Apr. 20)
Your lucky charm: the mirror where you can affirm, from you to you, "We're doing great with this." An unhelpful superstition to lose: the one where you think the past will be like the future.

TAURUS (Apr. 20 - May 20)
Your lucky charm: the proverbial "horn" you get on, whether a text chain, podium or thoughts expressed at the water cooler. An unhelpful superstition to lose: the one that has you taking responsibility for circumstances that were beyond your control.

GEMINI (May 21 - June 21)
Your lucky charm: the well-timed question that flips the script and makes everyone think twice. An unhelpful superstition to lose: the one that says you must explain everything perfectly before you're allowed to act.

CANCER (June 22 - July 22)
Your lucky charm: the table you set, literal or symbolic, where everyone suddenly feels claimed and included. An unhelpful superstition to lose: the one that says love requires overextension or heroic levels of emotional labor.

LEO (July 23 - Aug. 22)
Your lucky charm: the spotlight you aim with intention instead of ego, warming the room on purpose -- and wow, are you good at that. An unhelpful superstition to lose: the one that insists every reaction is about you.

VIRGO (Aug. 23 - Sept. 22)
Your lucky charm: the master plan scribbled in the margins that saves the day at the 11th hour. An unhelpful superstition to lose: the one that says if it isn't flawless, it isn't worthy. Your best is mighty fine!

LIBRA (Sept. 23 - Oct. 23)
Your lucky charm: an attitude, a phrase, a social move... the artful redirect that turns tension into intrigue. An unhelpful superstition to lose: the one that equates harmony with becoming invisible. Nope! Your loveliness should be seen!

SCORPIO (Oct. 24 - Nov. 21)
Your lucky charm: the piece of evidence or the secret you reveal at precisely the right moment, shifting the power dynamic. An unhelpful superstition to lose: the one that assumes vulnerability equals weakness. Never has, never will.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 - Dec. 21)
Your lucky charm: the map, GPS, recommendation or bold promise that aids your adventure and stretches the horizon wider than it was yesterday. An unhelpful superstition to lose: the one that says bigger always means better.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 - Jan. 19)
Your lucky charm: the tools you use to practice those steady moves no one notices... until they win the whole game. An unhelpful superstition to lose: the one that confuses responsibility with emotional isolation. Reach out and they reach back.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20 - Feb. 18)
Your lucky charm: a unifying motto, flag or symbol that brings together the unexpected alliance around your offbeat idea. An unhelpful superstition to lose: the one that says detachment keeps you safer than involvement.

PISCES (Feb. 19 - Mar 20)
Your lucky charm: the cozy blanket that wraps you in your dream state, and the image in your mind that becomes real once you commit to it. An unhelpful superstition to lose: the one that says you must absorb everyone else's feelings to prove you care.

Solutions to Yesterday's puzzle ⬇

			3			9		
6	2		7	5				8
9				1		4		
				8	5			
7		5				2		3
			4	3				
		1		7				9
3				9	2		6	4
		2			3			

4	6	9	8	1	2	5	3	7
1	8	7	3	5	4	2	9	6
2	3	5	6	9	7	1	4	8
8	4	6	1	2	9	3	7	5
7	9	3	5	6	8	4	1	2
5	1	2	7	4	3	8	6	9
9	5	8	4	7	1	6	2	3
6	7	4	2	3	5	9	8	1
3	2	1	9	8	6	7	5	4

SUDOKU HARD

TEST YOUR NUMBER CRUNCHING SKILL WITH OUR UNIQUE PUZZLE

Fill in the grid with digits in such a manner that every row, every column and every 3X3 box accommodates the digits 1 to 9, without repeating any.

CROSS WORD

ACROSS

1 Scope provided by the morning and a little after (5)
4 Concerned to see the vehicle gets fresh fuel (7)
8 A brew the French accentuate (3)
9 The more there are, the fewer there are (9)
10 Quality perfume (7)
11 Refuse to make a stew ungracefully (5)
13 Good man maps out marks of official approval (6)
15 Current supplier has Monday off (6)
18 Strange job an instrumentalist may hold (5)
19 It's no good by all accounts (3,4)
21 An uninspiring way to die (9)
23 Robin has a sash for his middle (3)
24 Signed up in presentation for a match? (7)
25 Lily reveals a great deal to us (5)

DOWN

1 She plays with a key in a lock (7)
2 No bait was ordered by the warrant officer (9)
3 Attendants in school (5)
4 Chews a sort of nut (6)
5 Landing strip harbours a fugitive (7)
6 Charge made to iron with energy (3)
7 Being upset Leslie misses the point of the yarn (5)
12 He's given unwarranted responsibility (9)
14 Stretch a point and look inside (7)
16 New ones may be expensive if stout perhaps (7)
17 A piece of wood on ship (6)
18 Cook and sew (5)
20 Live and prosper lacking nothing (5)
22 Diagram when reduced is a worthless thing (3)

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTIONS

Across: 1 Lasting out, 8 Sepia, 9 Tunisia, 10 Classic, 11 Blaze, 12 No dice, 14 As well, 17 Motel, 19 Laid out, 21 Tourist, 22 Exits, 23 Presenting.

Down: 2 Applaud, 3 Thaws, 4 Notice, 5 Omnibus, 6 Tessa, 7 Satellites, 8 Second mate, 13 Collide, 15 Erosion, 16 Clothe, 18 Thump, 20 Inert.

JUMBLE

UNSCRAMBLE THESE JUMBLES, ONE LETTER TO EACH SQUARE, TO FORM FOUR ORDINARY WORDS.

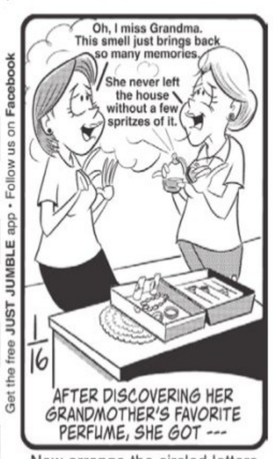
BY DAVID L. HOYT AND JEFF KNUREK

OTLTA

IMSNU

RCDEEU

ANCSAV


Oh, I miss Grandma. This smell just brings back so many memories.
She never left the house without a few spritzes of it.
1/16
AFTER DISCOVERING HER GRANDMOTHER'S FAVORITE PERFUME, SHE GOT ---

Get the free JUMBLE app • Follow us on Facebook

©2026 Tribune Content Agency, LLC All Rights Reserved.

Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.

" ○○○○○○ - ○○○○○○○○ "

(Answers tomorrow)

Yesterday's Jumbles: MUDDY BLEAK PETITE SQUISH
Answer: They paid cash for their home's new addition, which will help them — BUILD EQUITY

A two-and-a-half-year-old boy drowned after falling into the water sump in Madanayakanahalli police station limits on Wednesday. The deceased Chirag's father opened the sump's lid to clean the car. When he went inside to get ready to go to a function, the boy fell into the uncovered sump while playing outside and died. Chirag was the son of Annayya and Ruthu

Cybercrime cases in K'taka drop to 14,899 in 2025

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

HOME Minister **G Parameshwara** said on Thursday that the number of cybercrime cases in the state has come down because of their timely detection and awareness.

He was replying to a question by Govinda Raju of JDS in the Council. In 2023, the state recorded 22,225 cybercrime cases. By 2025, the number decreased to 14,899. This was possible because of the effective measures taken by the police department, Dr Parameshwara.

Expressing concern over cybercrimes, he said a technically qualified employee of a well-known company lost Rs 32 crore in a digital arrest case.

"Many bank accounts have been hacked, and educated and technically-skilled people are losing their hard-earned money in digital arrest cases. So far this year, 345 digital arrest cases involving Rs 115 crore have been registered, he said.

The state government has taken bold steps to tackle cybercrimes. Infosys has provided Rs 20 crore to the special work undertaken by the government to tackle cybercrimes. There is a plan to establish a cybercrime police station in each district headquarters, he said.

He said the state recorded 80,000 cybercrime cases in the past five years. The Union Home Ministry has launched a toll-free helpline: 1930 to help victims of cybercrimes. Measures have been taken to temporarily freeze bank accounts, he added.

WORLD KIDNEY DAY: DOCTORS HOLD WALKATHON

Bengaluru: A 1-km walkathon was organised by the Karnataka State Branch of the Indian Medical Association (IMA-KSB) in Bengaluru on Thursday to raise awareness about kidney disease prevention and organ donation as part of World Kidney Day observances. Around 500 doctors and nursing students participated in the walkathon, carrying placards promoting kidney health and preventive care. IMA-KSB president Dr Veerabhadraiah highlighted the shortage of organs in India and urged families to support cadaver organ donation to help save lives. Senior urologist Dr Venkatesh spoke about preventive measures to protect kidney health, while nephrologists Dr Veerabhadragupta and Dr Deepak explained the lifestyle and environmental factors contributing to kidney disease. **ENS**

MBBS student run over by tipper in Kengeri

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@Bengaluru

A 22-year-old medical student died while her friend sustained grievous injuries in a road accident outside her college in Kengeri traffic police station limits at 4.15 pm on Wednesday.

The incident happened outside the RR Medical College and Hospital on the Bengaluru-Mysuru Road. The scooter on which both the students were going was hit by a tipper lorry going towards the Mysuru side.

The deceased student, Krithika Sridhar, was riding as a pillion passenger. She was a fourth-year medical student at Rajarajeswari Medical College and Hospital in Kambipura. The rider, Hamsa, who sustained injuries, is said to be out of danger. The incident took place while both students were returning home when the overspeeding tipper truck collided with the scooter. Hamsa fell to the left side, while Krithika, who fell to the right side, came under the wheels of the truck. Both students were immediately taken to the hospital attached to the Rajarajeswari Medical College. Krithika succumbed to the injuries after an hour. Hamsa is undergoing treatment," said an officer

Krithika is a resident of BEML Layout, and her father, Sridhar, is also a doctor. The postmortem was conducted in the same hospital's mortuary. The driver was arrested.

EQUALITY DEMAND

Dalit members stage a protest at Freedom Park in Bengaluru on Thursday, demanding that the government fulfil their demands | NAGARAJA GADEKAL

EXPRESS READ

Domestic help held for stealing 54g of gold

BENGALURU: Pulikeshi Nagar police have arrested a 55-year-old domestic help for stealing around 54 grams of gold ornaments and Rs 14 lakh in cash from an elderly couple's house where she has been working for 25 years. The accused, Dhanalakshmi is from Cox Towan. The police have recovered the jewellery and Rs 8 lakh in cash. The son-in-law of the couple, who is a resident of Prominent Road, filed a complaint on February 19. He stated that his in-laws, who are in their 80s, reside in an apartment on Stephen's Road. Dhanalakshmi accompanied them to the bank and to shops and markets to make purchases. The son-in-law of the couple, who found the jewellery and cash missing from the house, alerted the police. Dhanalakshmi was taken into custody on March 5. **ENS**

Pregnant woman dies by suicide in Ramanagara

BENGALURU: A 19-year-old woman who was in her fifth month of pregnancy died by suicide at Vaddaradoddi in Ramanagara Rural police station limits. The victim, Nayana, set herself ablaze after pouring diesel. She was married nine months ago. Her husband, Nagaraj alias Sunil, 27, and in-laws are accused of harassing her to bring more dowry. Unable to bear the harassment, she is suspected of having taken the extreme step. A case of dowry death was registered based on Nayana's parents. Nagaraj was arrested on Thursday. The victim took the extreme step on Wednesday night in her room. She was rushed to the hospital, where the doctors declared dead on arrival. The body was shifted to the Ramanagara Hospital's mortuary for the postmortem. **ENS**

Prof Dr Prabha Chandra is Nimhans interim director

BALA CHAUHAN @ Bengaluru

SENIOR Professor, Psychiatry, and senior-most faculty member, National Institute of Mental Health & Neuro Sciences (Nimhans), Bengaluru, Dr **Prabha Chandra** has been appointed interim director of the premium mental health institute until the Centre appoints a regular and full-term director. Her appointment letter from the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare was received late Thursday evening by the institute.

Chandra is an internationally known psychiatrist for her groundbreaking research on women's mental health and reproductive psychiatry, intimate partner violence, sexual violence and neurobiology of postpartum psychosis etc. She will take charge from incumbent Director Dr Pratima Murthy, who will step down on Friday on completion of 65 years of age.

Murthy will, however, continue to remain with the institute as Senior Professor, Psychiatry, till the end of this month. She was appointed to head the apex institute on June 18, 2021. As per appointment rules, Director Nimhans has to step down from office on completing 65 years on their date of birth, but can remain in service till the end of the month of birth.

Chandra was earlier head of department, Psychiatry, for one term of three years. She was subsequently appointed Dean (2022-2025) and Controller of Exams. She will retire this year on August 31 on completion of 65 years. Director Nimhans is appointed for a period of five years by the Appointments Committee of the Cabinet (ACC) on the recommendations of

the search committee, which are vetted by the Union Ministry of Health & Family Welfare (MoHFW). The appointment for the top post is strictly on single tenure basis.

In December last year, Nimhans had invited applications from "qualified professionals" for the director's post. According to informed sources, 12 applicants, from and outside the institute, including heads of departments, with minimum 25 years of work experience in the profession, have applied for the top post.

Dialysis centres in govt hosps rise to 215

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@Bengaluru

ON the occasion of World Kidney Day, the Karnataka government announced that it is strengthening dialysis services across the state to make life-saving treatment more accessible to patients.

The number of dialysis centres in government hospitals has increased from 201 in FY 2024–25 to 215 in FY 2025–26, bringing services closer to patients across districts and taluk hospitals.

Dialysis units in public health facilities have also increased from 929 to 1,167, reflecting an expansion of the state's kidney care network. The number of patients receiving dialysis treatment has risen from 6,331 to 7,767, indicating improved access to treatment. In FY 2024–25, a total of 5,92,087 dialysis sessions were conducted. In FY 2025–26, 5,53,351 sessions have already been completed, ensuring uninterrupted treatment for thousands of patients.

The quality of care is also being enhanced with the introduction of single-use dialysers under the Public-Private Partnership (PPP) model in district and taluk hospitals, aimed at improving safety and treatment standards. While the programme is being implemented under the PPP model in the Bengaluru, Mysuru and Belagavi divisions, an in-house model is being followed in the Kalaburagi division.

ವೈಕುಂಠ ಸಮಾರಾಧನೆ

ಶ್ರೀ ಲಿಂಗೇಗೌಡ. ಕೆ.

ಶ್ರೀಯುತರು ದಿನಾಂಕ: 04-03-2026ನೇ ಬುಧವಾರದಂದು ದೈವಾಧೀನರಾದರೆಂದು ತಿಳಿಸಲು ವಿಷಾಧಿಸುತ್ತೇವೆ. ಮೃತರ ಪುಣ್ಯಾಹ ಮತ್ತು ವೈಕುಂಠ ಸಮಾರಾಧನೆ ಕಾರ್ಯವನ್ನು ದಿನಾಂಕ: **14-03-2026ನೇ ಶನಿವಾರ ಬೆಳಿಗ್ಗೆ 11.00 ಗಂಟೆಗೆ ಮೃತರ ಸ್ವಗೃಹದಲ್ಲಿ** ನೆರವೇರಿಸಲಾಗುವುದು. ತಾವುಗಳು ಆಗಮಿಸಿ ಮೃತರ ಆತ್ಮಕ್ಕೆ ಶಾಂತಿ ಕೋರಬೇಕಾಗಿ ವಿನಂತಿ.

ಭೋಜನ : ಮಧ್ಯಾಹ್ನ 12.30 ಗಂಟೆಗೆ

ಇಂತಿ: ದುಃಖತಪ್ತರು
ಮೃತರ ಪತ್ನಿ ಯಶೋಧಮ್ಮ, ಕುಟುಂಬಸ್ಥರು ಹಾಗೂ ಬಂಧು-ಮಿತ್ರರು

ಪೂಜಾ ವಿಳಾಸ:

BHAGAVAD GITA
Chapter 5
The Yoga of Renunciation of Action

Discourse in English by
Sunandaji

14 - 17 March 2026
6:45 pm - 8.00 pm

R V Teachers' College
Jayanagar 2nd Block
Near Lalbagh Metro Station
Bengaluru

All are Welcome
96321 93390

XPRESS FOCUS SMD INITIATIVE

WHY KNEES HATE EXTRA WEIGHT?

Meril Treatment Zaroori Hai
Issued in public interest, for you and your loved ones, by Meril.

Did you know?
Every extra 1 kg of body weight adds 4 times the pressure on your knees!

With rising obesity levels globally, joint health is becoming an increasing concern. Excess body weight places significant stress on weight-bearing joints, particularly the knees, accelerating cartilage wear and increasing the risk of osteoarthritis. As more patients develop joint pain and mobility limitations at a younger age, orthopaedic specialists emphasize the importance of weight management, early diagnosis, and advanced treatment options. The experts highlight how addressing obesity can play a crucial role in preventing arthritis and improving surgical outcomes for patients who require knee replacement procedures.

Dr. Akshay Dhanda,
Consultant – Orthopaedics, Arthroscopy & Joint Replacement Surgeon, Manipal Hospital, Bangalore,
notes that obesity is one of the most significant risk factors for knee arthritis. According to him, excess body weight increases pressure on the knee joints, accelerating joint degeneration and worsening pain and stiffness. He often encounters patients who hesitate to consider Total Knee Replacement (TKR) due to misconceptions about the surgery. Dr. Dhanda explains that modern implants are designed to restore near-natural movement, while minimally invasive surgical techniques help reduce postoperative pain and enable faster recovery. Through structured physiotherapy and proper medical guidance, most patients are able to gradually return to daily activities with improved comfort and mobility. Educating patients about implant durability, recovery timelines, and pain management plays a key role in helping them overcome fear and make informed decisions about treatment.

Dr. Abrar Mohammad,
Consultant – Orthopaedics & Joint Replacement Surgeon, Even Hospital, Bangalore,
highlights that obesity can also complicate knee conditions in patients who have previously undergone surgery. In some cases, excessive weight can accelerate wear of earlier implants or worsen joint instability, eventually requiring revision Total Knee Replacement. These procedures are more complex and require detailed preoperative planning, advanced surgical techniques, and precise implant selection. Dr. Mohammad explains that many patients approach revision surgery with concerns about complications or prolonged recovery. However, with careful surgical correction, removal of damaged implants, and focused rehabilitation, patients often experience significant pain relief, improved joint stability, and better mobility. He emphasizes that maintaining a healthy weight not only reduces the risk of arthritis but also supports better recovery and long-term outcomes after knee replacement surgery.

As the burden of obesity continues to rise, the risk of associated musculoskeletal disorders is also expected to increase significantly. Greater awareness about the impact of obesity on joint health, along with early medical intervention and appropriate treatment options, remains essential to reduce long-term disability and preserve mobility and quality of life.

Disclaimer The views/suggestions/opinions expressed in the article are the sole responsibility of the brand concerned this should not be considered a substitute for medical advice. Please consult your treating physician for more details.

PUBLIC NOTICE

PURCHASE OF PROPERTY

The General Public are hereby notified that my client **Sri. B.L. Narasima Murthy,** S/o Late. B.V. Lakshmi Narasimha Swamy, Aged about 36 years, R/at No. 163, Bychapura Farm House, Near Aishwarya Layout, Anneshwara Post, Devanahalli Taluk, **Bangalore Rural District** is intended to purchase below mentioned schedule property hereunder from its absolute owner **Mr. Kaleemulla S/o Late. Abdul Razack,** Aged about 61 years, R/at No.8, Kemp Road, Frazer Town, Bengaluru-560 005. If any of the general public or any person/s concerned if any in respect of the schedule property, they may shall file their objections along with your documents to substantiate your claim within 15 days to the undersigned advocate. In the event of any objections not received, my client will proceed with purchase of the schedule property from **Mr. Kaleemulla S/o Late. Abdul Razack** holding that, no person/s are having any right, title, interest or claim over the schedule property.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the agricultural land bearing old Sy.No. 44/11, New Sy.No. 100/1, measuring to an extent of 20 guntas, situated at Rayasandra Village, Kasaba Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Bengaluru Rural District and same is bounded as follows:-

East by : Property belongs to Sanjeevappa, **West by :** Road, **North by :** Kalpatharu Layout, **South by :** Remaining land in Sy.No. 100 belongs to Muniraju.

Sri. N. Chandrakantha Gowda, Advocate No.14, 1st Floor, Hanumanthappa Building, Behind Police Station, Near New Bus Stand, Devanahalli Town, Devanahalli-562110. Mob : 9060023246

Dr. Rajkumar presents
Powerstar Puneeth Rajkumar in & as
ಭಕಾಶ್
AKASH SKY IS THE LIMIT
Smt. Parvathamma Rajkumar Mahesh Babu
RE-RELEASE MARCH 13th 2026
4K REMASTERED
ವಿಶಾಲ ಕರ್ನಾಟಕಕ್ಕೆ ಹಂಚಿಕೆ PRK PRODUCTIONS LLP

GRAND RE-RELEASE FROM TODAY
NARTAKI
3D 4K DOLBY DIGITAL 7.1 bookmyshow

VEERESH CINEMAS | VICTORY CINEMA

AMB KAPALI GANDHINAGAR	RAJAJINAGAR NAVARANG	GOLLARAHATTI VENKATESHWARA	R.T.NAGAR RADHAKRISHNA
PVR·INOX VAISHNAVI NEXUS | ORION MANTRI | GT CENTRAL NEXUS FORUM MALL OF ASIA M5 E CITY	J.P.NAGAR SIDDHESHWARA	PEENYA BHARATHI	VIDYAPEETA CIRCLE CHANDRODAYA
	KENGERI ROBIN	KAMALANAGAR VEERABHADRESHWARA	HARINAGAR VINAYAKA
cinépolis MEENAKSHI LULU	AVALAHALLI VENKATESHWARA	KATTRIGUPPE KAMAKYA	HONGASANDRA BRUNDHA
GOPALAN CINEMAS ARCADE	GOWDANAPALYA SRINIVASA	SANJAYNAGAR VAIBHAV	KONANKUNTE MANASA
ROCKLINE cinemas JALAHALLI	TAVAREKERE BALAJI	ULLALA VAJRESHWARI	AND ALSO AT OTHER CINEMAS
MIRAJ SUNKADAKATTE	SUNKADAKATTE MOHAN	K.R.PURAM VENKATESHWARA	

सीएमपीडीआई cmpdi
सेन्ट्रल माईन प्लानिंग एण्ड डिजाईन इन्स्टीच्यूट लिमिटेड
CENTRAL MINE PLANNING & DESIGN INSTITUTE LIMITED
(A Subsidiary of Coal India Limited)
Gondwana Place, Kanke Road, Ranchi-834 008, Jharkhand, INDIA

NOTICE

"All the tenders issued by CIL and its Subsidiaries for procurement of Goods, Works and Services are available on websites of Coal India Ltd. **www.coalindia.in**/respective Subsidiary Company (CMPDI, **www.cmpdi.co.in**), CIL e-procurement portal **https://coalindiatenders.nic.in** and Central Public Procurment Portal **https://eprocure.gov.in** In addition, procurement is also done through GeM portal **https://gem.gov.in**".

TRANSMISSION CORPORATION OF ANDHRA PRADESH LIMITED
(A Government of Andhra Pradesh Undertaking & An ISO 27001-2022 Certified Company)
CALL FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST NOTICE

The APTRANSCO invites Expression of Interest for "Establishment of State Transmission Asset Management Centre (STAMC) with Reliability Centered Maintenance (RCM) Framework and Operationalisation of Unmanned Substations in Andhra Pradesh" within 2 weeks from the date of this publication. Please visit APTransco website **www.aptransco.gov.in** for further details.

RO No-GMCC/APTRANSCO/69/26 Sd/- Chief Engineer/APSLDC

YOUR GUIDE TO SPICY LIVING
INDULGE Every Friday with THE NEW INDIAN EXPRESS

AS many as 30 life convicts lodged at different prisons in Karnataka will be released prematurely on the grounds of good conduct. The premature release is according to the recommendations of the Life Convict Review Committee

CABINET NOD TO BILL TO PUNISH HONOUR KILLINGS

'Eva Nammava Eva Nammava' Bill gives freedom of choice in marriage; Likely to be tabled in ongoing session

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

IN a significant move, the Karnataka Cabinet on Thursday approved the Karnataka Freedom of Choice in Marriage and Prevention and Prohibition of Crimes in the name of Honour and Tradition (Eva Nammava Eva Nammava) Bill 2026. It will be tabled in the ongoing joint session of legislature.

It is to provide freedom of choice in marriage and prevention and prohibition of caste-based crimes, prevent violation of human rights, bring honour to inter-caste marriage, prevent enforced caste-based discrimination in individual choices; and constitute 'Eva Nammava Eva Nammava' forum to solemnise inter-caste marriages.

Caste-based discrimination continues to persist as a serious social problem in Karnataka, and incidents of violence, threats, social and economic boycott, murder, harassment and psychological abuse committed in the name of "honour" against persons who choose inter-caste marriages are being reported, as per the draft bill.

Such acts constitute a grave violation of the right to equality, freedom, human dignity and personal autonomy guaranteed under Articles 14, 15, 19 and 21 of the Constitution of India, it added.

Although the presently applicable Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023, and other general laws provide for punishment for offences such as murder, assault or criminal intimidation, they are inadequate to comprehensively address crimes motivated by the social notion of caste-based "honour", including their specific nature, the need for preventive protection, institutional safeguards for inter-caste married couples, measures for rehabilitation and restoration, and mechanisms for speedy trial, it justified.

International cricket stadium at Anekal

The Cabinet approved the construction of an international cricket stadium at a cost of ₹813 crore, on 75 acres of land at Suryanagar in Anekal taluk

OTHER DECISIONS

- Approval for new advertisement policy for print and electronic media
- Repair of Mysugar Factory, grant for installation of new machinery to crush **5,000 TCD** sugarcane at Rs 60 crore
- Cancellation of allotment of **4** acres of land in S.No. 129, Srigandha Kavalu cillage, Yeshwantpur hobli, Bangalore North taluk, Bengaluru Urban district to Sundaresh, son of Suryanarayana Rao
- **₹100 crore** for modernization of distribution and pickup canals for 4 Cauvery canals in Mandya constituency
- Approval for upgrading **76** Maulana Azad English Model Schools and **41** Urdu Medium Schools into Karnataka Public Schools, at a cost of **Rs 683.33 crore**
- Approval to set up **600 KPS** as announced in the budget

Govt mulls raising income limit to avail ration cards

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

THE Karnataka government is considering increasing the annual income limit to avail Priority Household Cards (ration cards) from the existing Rs 1.2 lakh.

Health and Family Welfare Minister Dinesh Gundu Rao, replying on behalf of Food and Civil Supplies Minister KH Muniyappa, stated that the Karnataka Administrative Reforms Committee-II, headed by Congress MLA RV Deshpande, has recommended increasing the limit to Rs 3 lakh, and the proposal is currently under discussion.

"The current Rs 1.2 lakh slab was fixed in 2017. There is a need to revise it now in 2026. We will discuss the proposal and fix the annual income limit," Rao said.

Former Deputy CM and BJP MLA Dr CN Ashwathnarayan said the income limit has remained unchanged for nine years and does not reflect the high cost of living in cities like Bengaluru. "Many urban workers, including taxi drivers, are unable to access ration cards as their income exceeds the current limit," he said.

BJP MLA and former Food and Civil Supplies Minister Gopalaiah also said thousands of ration cards were cancelled in his constituency.

Rao said that under the National Food Security Act, ration cards should cover 50% of the urban and 75% of the rural population. "As per this, we have to give ration cards to 1.09 crore families. We are giving an additional 15.8 lakh. Many have misused these cards as they can avail other facilities using this card," the minister informed the House.

HOUSE PROCEEDINGS

Visitors watch the proceedings of the Assembly in Vidhana Soudha on Thursday | EXPRESS

BAMUL's Re 1/litre Ugadi incentive for milk suppliers

BENGALURU: President of Bangalore Milk Union Limited (BAMUL) Suresh said on Thursday that BAMUL would give Re 1 per litre incentive for milk supplied from April 1, 2025, to March 31, 2026, by 1,27,644 farmers as "Ugadi bonus". BAMUL, which had suffered a loss of Rs 14.50 crore, made a profit of Rs 60 crore this year, he said. Suresh said last year, the turnover was Rs 2,900 crore, and this year, BAMUL expects Rs 3,400 crore by March 31. The aim is to increase the turnover from Rs 3,400 crore to Rs 4,500 or Rs 5,000 crore. He said BAMUL has also decided to clear the outstanding DA of Rs 4.68 crore to its employees and a bonus of Rs 5,000 each to those working on a contract basis.

Siddu budget reveals financial & intellectual bankruptcy: Vijayendra

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

KARNATAKA BJP president BY Vijayendra said that Chief Minister Siddaramaiah, who presented his 17th budget recently, missed the golden opportunity to serve the people of the state. "His budget has financial and intellectual bankruptcy," Vijayendra told the Assembly on Thursday.

Claiming that the recent state budget shows that the Congress government is appeasing just one community, Vijayendra said Siddaramaiah blamed the Centre for hiding his government's failure. "The government failed to collect its target taxes and has taken extensive loans, burdening people," the BJP leader said, adding that the state's fiscal deficit was increasing.

Calling the budget full of lies, Vijayendra said the budget claims that it has given priority to filling government posts and building roads, bridges, and infrastructure. "If that is true, then how many roads have been constructed in the last three years? How many bridges have been built? How many government posts have been filled? None of these details is mentioned anywhere," he pointed out. On the State Government's allegations of not getting its share in taxes from the Centre, Vijayendra said Karnataka pays Rs 4.3 lakh crore to the Centre through many sources like income tax and GST. "But those who are making these allegations are not taking expenditure made by the Centre on sectors such as defence, national highways, and railways into consideration," he said. He further stated that under the federal system, revenue collected from developed states such as Maharashtra, Karnataka, and Tamil Nadu is redistributed through the Centre to less developed and highly populated states so that all states can progress together. "During the UPA regime in 2014, Karnataka contributed Rs 1.4 lakh crore to the central pool but received only Rs 28,000 crore through fund allocation," he claimed.

Meanwhile, Karkala MLA V Sunil Kumar (BJP) told the Assembly on Thursday that his party will come to power and its leader will become the CM in 2028 in the state. Sunil Kumar made this statement after RDPR and IT/BT minister Priyank Kharge said that the NDA ally JDS is hoping that PM Modi and Union Home Minister Amit Shah will make Union Minister for Steel and Heavy Industries HD Kumaraswamy as CM in 2028. Sunil asked Priyank to clarify as to whether Siddaramaiah will continue as CM or will be replaced.

Terdal BJP MLA Siddu Savadi's remark triggered a debate over the leadership issue. He alleged that the Congress was indulging in vote bank politics by appeasing a section of society and ignoring others.

State BJP president BY Vijayendra makes a point in the Assembly on Thursday

EXPRESS READ

Dam crest gates installed 50 yrs ago to be replaced

BENGALURU: DCM and Water Resources Minister DK Shivakumar on Thursday said that dam crest gates installed over 50 years ago across the state will be replaced. He was replying to Sharavana of JDS, who raised the issue of crest gates at Tungabhadra dam in Council. Shivakumar said the government has conducted a study on the status of dams across the state. In the first phase, the crest gates of the TB dam will be replaced. Referring to the Navali balanced reservoir project, Shivakumar said Andhra Pradesh is not coming forward for talks on the implementation of the project

State staring at medical emergency, says BJP

BENGALURU: LoP in Assembly R Ashoka on Thursday alleged the state government is planning to close 273 Primary Health Centres. He said that PHC doctors have been transferred to different places. "Government doctors are saying there are no medicines in hospitals. There is shortage of doctors and specialists across the state. We are also seeing deaths of new mothers," he alleged. Former Deputy CM Dr CN Ashwathnarayan said ambulances are unavailable during emergencies. "The state is facing a medical emergency" he said.

1,88,037 posts vacant in government depts

BENGALURU: There are 1,88,037 vacant posts in departments of the state government, Science and Technology and Minor Irrigation Minister NS Boseraju said in response to a question by BJP MLC Shashil G Namoshi during Question Hour in the Council on Thursday. Replying on behalf of the CM, he said of the 7,76,414 sanctioned posts, 4,91,533 are filled. Also, 96,844 posts of Group C and D cadres, such as data entry assistants and vehicle drivers, have been filled on contract/outsourced basis. A total of 5,88,377 posts have been filled and 1,88,037 are vacant, he said.

MEET OF B'LURU MLAs SOON ON TOXIC CONTENT IN VEGETABLES AND FRUITS

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

RESPONDING to the concerns expressed by BJP MLAs over the findings of a survey by an NGO that vegetables and fruits contain heavy metals and pesticide residues more than the permissible levels in Bengaluru, Forest Minister Eshwar Khandre said that a meeting of MLAs from the city will soon be held on the matter. The meeting will be presided over by Deputy CM DK Shivakumar, Khandre said in the Assembly.

Quoting the survey findings, CN Ashwathnarayan of BJP said the presence of heavy metals, especially lead, in vegetables and fruits is a cause for concern. He said NGT had directed CPCB to take action in that regard. He favoured an inter-ministerial or departmental committee to look into the matter. Leader of Opposition R Ashoka expressed concern over the presence of toxic content in milk and poultry products.

Participating in the debate, Khandre said water and air pollution in Bengaluru had increased for many reasons. The city with a population of 1.4 crore needs many sewage treatment plants (STPs). He attributed the shortage of STPs to lack of land to build them. The GBA and PCB should make collective efforts to tackle water and air pollution in the city, he added.

RDPR Minister Priyank Kharge suggested that a committee be set up to recommend modern agriculture, horticulture, animal husbandry, and forest management practices with the help of PCB. Awareness should be created on soil pollution and against use of toxic agents to clean vegetables and fruits, he said.

Milk adulterated with salt and sugar, says Boseraju

Salt and sugar adulteration have been detected in the milk to primary milk producers' cooperative societies, Science and Technology Minister NS Boseraju said in the Council on Thursday. Responding to a question by Congress MLC Madhu G Madegowda on behalf of the CM, Boseraju said that RO adulteration test kits have been provided to all primary milk producers' cooperative societies to detect adulteration in milk, and they are being tested. He said that the adulteration content and the milk received in the societies are being tested at the dairy stage as well. He stressed that no cases have been registered so far regarding the adulteration of milk supplied to dairies. He said that in case of adulteration, the milk is rejected and warnings are issued to the producers, the executive board and staff of the association.

Excise department earns ₹36,492cr, but sales graph shows 0.51% dip

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

The Excise department has earned revenue of Rs 36,492.47 crore from April to the end of February 2025, Science and Technology Minister NS Boseraju said in the Upper House on Thursday. Replying to a question by Congress member M Nagaraju during Question Hour on behalf of the Excise Minister, Boseraju said there has been a decline of 0.51 per cent in liquor sales by the end of February in the current financial year, compared to the previous financial year.

In Chikkaballapur, Chitradurga, border districts of Kolar, Tumakuru and Raichur, there has been a decline in liquor sales due to fewer customers coming into the state from outside to buy liquor. Beer sales decreased by 14.59 per cent by the end of January. This is due to heavy rain in some districts and change in weather, which has led to a drop in beer sales.

PIC FOR REPRESENTATION ONLY

The minister also informed the Council that the government has formed a resource mobilization committee to analyze the prevailing tax system and make appropriate recommendations to increase revenue collection, and further action will be taken after the committee report is received.

"Several steps have been taken to prevent counterfeit liquor from entering the state from Goa, and cases are being registered against irregularities under the Excise Act. One person accused in Raichur district has been exiled to Malavalli taluk of Mandya district, and action against eight accused under the Goonda Act is under investigation. A proposal was submitted to the Assistant Commissioner of Sedam sub-division under the Deportation Act against four accused in Chittapur district of Kalaburagi district," Boseraju said, and added that preventive action has been taken against six accused in the zone, meetings held at the district level and necessary instructions given to all executive officers to curb irregularities.

In the past three years, 123 non-bailable cases have been registered against liquor transportation from Goa; 87 vehicles have been seized, and 77 accused have been arrested. The value of liquor seized is Rs 13.68 crore, he said.

Committee to study carrying capacity of Bandipur forest, says Khandre

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

KARNATAKA Forest Minister Eshwar Khandre on Thursday told the assembly that an expert committee would submit a report on the carrying capacity of Bandipur forest to the state government.

Khandre said the tiger count has gone up from 12 in 1972 to 175 but the forest size has been shrinking.

The government had stopped the safari owing to farmers highlighting the increasing number of man-animal conflicts. The safari has now resumed and 35 percent of the revenue will be used for public outreach programmes on education and health in 72 villages on forest fringes, said Khandre.

Khandre was replying to a question on man-animal conflicts. Leader of Opposition R Ashoka said over 4,000 people lost jobs when the safari was closed.

Forest Minister Eshwar Khandre addresses the Assembly in Vidhana Soudha in Bengaluru on Thursday

The minister said that Bandipur forest boundary is 314 km, of which about 100 km is a high conflict zone.

There is a command centre, 25 anti-poaching camps and 14-hour patrol is being carried out.

The minister said the safari was resumed on the basis of a preliminary report from an expert committee that included a representative from the Central Wildlife Institute.

Khandre also said there is disruption of elephant corridors due to infrastructure projects such as express highways as well as increase in elephant population.

Trekkers should buy tickets online

Khandre said trekkers visiting Kumaraparvatha near Kukke Subrahmanya must buy tickets online.

"The number of trekkers has been restricted to 150 per day to prevent overcrowding and accidents. Trekking is not allowed during monsoon due to heavy rains and in summer due to the risk of forest fires. Earlier, the 24-km trek from Subrahmanya to Kumaraparvatha required two days with an overnight stay, but due to wildlife movement, overnight stays were banned since 2024," he said.

Infrastructure Development Minister MB Patil questioned the Union Government's decision to declare Madurai Airport as an international airport while ignoring similar demands for airports in North Karnataka. Patil has termed the move discriminatory and asked why the Centre had failed to accord international status to Hubballi Airport and Belagavi Airport despite repeated requests from the state government

HC orders probe into encounter of rape-murder accused

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@Bengaluru

THE Karnataka High Court ordered a judicial magistrate enquiry into the alleged 2025 police encounter of a migrant labourer, who was accused of rape and murder of a minor girl in Hubballi-Dharwad.

The HC said the enquiry report should be submitted on June 8, 2026. Referring to the directions issued by the Supreme Court in People's Union for Civil Liberties, the division bench of Chief Justice Vibhu Bakhru and Justice CM Poonacha directed that those norms must be strictly observed in all cases of death and grievous injury in police encounters by treating them as law declared under Article 141 of the Constitution of India.

The judicial magistrate concerned should also bear in mind the guidelines issued by the National Human Rights Commission for conducting an inquiry in cases of death in custody or in the course of police action, said the HC, in the order passed recently.

The court was hearing the public interest litigation, filed in 2025 by People's Union for Civil Liberties-Karnataka, and Dr Madhu Bhushan. The counsel said instead of filing an FIR for custodial death, it was filed against the accused-deceased, and no police officials were named.

There should be a magisterial enquiry in accordance with Section 196 of the BNSS. An enquiry by an Executive Magistrate was conducted, which is not in conformity with the directions issued by the apex court, the counsel argued.

Advocate General K Shashikiran Shetty said that there is no requirement to name the police officials as accused, as the entire incident is recorded, and that if any further offences are to be added, the same can be done at an appropriate stage. He assured that all aspects of the incident recorded would be investigated by the CID, including the role of the police officials.

Insofar as the conduct of enquiry by a judicial magistrate is concerned, he submitted that there is no objection for this court to issue directions in this regard. In fact, a reference was made for conducting an enquiry by a judicial Magistrate. However, the same was declined on a misreading of the directions issued by the apex court, he argued. On April 13, 2025, at around 10.45 am, the police received information regarding a body of a child, which was abandoned near a shed in Vijayanagar. The accused took the police to the outskirts of an abandoned house, where he resided, where the child's body was found.

The accused was shot near that house. As the accused tried to escape by pelting stones at the police, and tried to strangulate a woman constable. Two warning shots were fired. Thereafter, three shots were fired at him, and he succumbed to the same.

Govt orders premature release of 30 life convicts

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

AS many as 30 life convicts lodged at different prisons in Karnataka will be released prematurely on the grounds of good conduct.

The premature release is according to the recommendations of the Life Convict Review (LCR) Committee.

The State Government on Wednesday ordered the premature release of the 30 life convicts along with the approval from the Governor under Article 161 of the Constitution. The LCR examined 54 cases from different central prisons and selected 30 life convicts.

Of the 30 life convicts, three are women. The women convicts are presently lodged in Mysuru, Kalaburagi and Women Central Prison in Shivamogga.

From the Bengaluru Central Prison in Parappana Agrahara, 14 life convicts will be released. From Mysuru prison, one woman life convict will be released and from Belagavi, two life convicts, including a woman will be released.

From the Kalaguragi prison, two life convicts, including a woman, will be released. From Shivamogga prison, one life convict and from Vijayapura, five life convicts will be released. From Ballari prison, three life convicts and from Dharwad prison, one life convict will be released.

One woman life convict is getting released from the Women Central Prison in Shivamogga.

BJP raises concern over KPSC functioning

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

RAISING voice in support of candidates who had suffered owing to the alleged irregularities in the Karnataka Public Service Commission (KPSC) during the selection of 384 gazetted probationer posts, BJP MLA V Sunil Kumar urged the State Government to cancel the viva-voce scheduled for March 23.

Saying that 11 candidates with consecutive serial numbers sat in the same room at the same examination centre, making it to the eligibility list, he held the controller concerned responsible. "The chief secretary had sought a report. What is the fate of that report? What was KPSC's reply to it? I congratulate Home Minister Dr G Parameshwara for saying that either the secretary or the chairman of KPSC should be held responsible. Yet, no action has been taken, and hence the viva voce should be stalled," the MLA said.

CULTURAL EXTRAVAGANZA

Students participate in the inter-college cultural festival Sahyadri Utsav organised by Kuvempu University, in Shivamogga, on Thursday| PTI

EXPRESS READ

Expedite suburban rail project, citizens to K-RIDE

BENGALURU : Bengalureans have urged K-RIDE in an open letter to complete the suburban rail project as early as possible. The open letter was signed by Olympian Ashwini Nachappa, actor Prakash Belwadi, Padma Shri TV Mohandas Pai, Naresh Narasimhan, Kathyayini Chamaraj, Samyukta Hornad, Revathy Ashok, Meera Iyer, JN Prasad and Dr AN Yellappa Reddy. They urged the government to review the project and revise the deadline to March 2028. Rajkumar Dugar, from Citizens for Citizens said, the Corridor-1 of the suburban rail project was to be completed by October 2023. It was sanctioned in October 2020 with four corridors totaling 148Kms. The entire project was to be completed by October 2026.

WORLD SLEEP DAY

Stress, screen time fuel rise in sleep problems in cities, say Doctors

GAYATHRI M KURUP @Bengaluru

STRESS, excessive screen time and irregular lifestyles are increasingly disrupting sleep patterns among urban residents, doctors said ahead of World Sleep Day, on March 13.

Medical experts say the fast-paced lifestyle in cities such as Bengaluru, coupled with late-night work schedules and digital habits, is contributing to a rise in sleep-related complaints across age groups.

Prolonged exposure to screens late at night is a major factor affecting sleep quality, said Ravichandra MRK, Clinical Lead of Sleep Medicine at Narayana Health. Blue light from televisions, smartphones and laptops suppresses melatonin, the hormone that regulates sleep, thereby disrupting the body's circadian rhythm and delaying sleep onset.

Binge-watching on OTT platforms and constant scrolling on social media also keep the brain in a state of stimulation, making it difficult to fall asleep.

Doctors say many patients approach them with symptoms such as headaches, fatigue and poor concentration, which are often linked to inadequate sleep.

According to Sridhar Sreenivasan G, Consultant in Internal Medicine at Vasavi Hospitals, irregular sleep schedules, late-night mobile phone use and delayed dinners are now common among patients across age groups. Sleep deprivation caused by excessive smartphone use is particularly common among young people and can trigger comorbidities such as migraines and hypertension. Late-night socialising and extended work hours also contribute to sleep disturbances.

"Sleep is crucial for the body to recover, and inadequate sleep may have gradual but serious effects over time," he said.

Work-related stress and poor sleep hygiene are also major contributors to insomnia among working professionals, particularly those aged between 25 and 40 years, said Manjunath PH, Sleep Specialist at Gleneagles BGS Hospital. Late-night meals and irregular sleep patterns can also lead to gastro-esophageal reflux disease (GERD), further affecting sleep quality.

Doctors warn that chronic sleep deprivation can increase the risk of obesity, diabetes, hypertension and cardiovascular diseases, while also affecting memory, concentration and productivity.

Experts advise maintaining consistent sleep schedules, limiting screen exposure before bedtime and adopting healthier lifestyle habits to improve sleep and overall well-being.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The general public is hereby informed that, on behalf of our Client, we are investigating the right, title, and interest in relation to the property described in the Schedule below **("Schedule Property"),** which is owned by Lokesh .T **("Owner").** The Owner has represented that he is the absolute owner of the property and that he possesses full and unrestricted rights of alienation over the same.

Any person, including individuals, corporate bodies, partnership firms, banks, financial institutions, other lenders, or government bodies having any right, title, interest, claim, benefit, demand, or encumbrance in the Schedule Property or any portion thereof, whether by way of sale, lease, joint development, mortgage, charge, lien, possession, assignment, attachment, exchange, gift, or transfer in any manner, tenancy, licence, inheritance, easement, succession, right of way, agreements, settlement, maintenance, decree or order of any Court of Law, or otherwise, is hereby called upon to submit their objections and/or claims in writing, along with documentary proof, to the undersigned at the address mentioned below within **fifteen (15) days** from the date of this notice.

If no such objection or claim is received within the stipulated time, it shall be deemed that no person other than the Owner has any right, interest, or claim in respect of the Schedule Property. All rights, interests, and claims, if any, not notified as stated above shall be treated as waived and unenforceable, and the Owner's title to the Schedule Property shall be considered clear and marketable.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY : All that piece and parcel of Property bearing No. 273-F, Municipal No. 10, situated at 1st 'B' Cross, formed by HMT Empoyees Co-operative house building Society, H.M.T. Layout, Mathikere, Bangalore-560054. Measuring : East to West : 30 feet, North to South : 50 feet, in all measuring : 1500 Square feet, bounded on : East by : Site No. 273E, West by : Site No. 273-G, North by : Road, South by : Site No. 273-H.

Signed/-
Trust Law Advocates & Solicitors
Narayanbabu, Mobile : 8050503089
No. 29/11, 1st Floor, Udaya Sahakara Bhavana, Mount Joy Road, 1st Main Road, Bengaluru - 560004.
Lokesh .T, Mob : 9845226993
E-mail : appu.t79@gmail.com

BEFORE THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-I AT CHENNAI

S.A. No. 33 of 2025

Ms. Jhansirani Vinodkumar & 25 Ors
...Applicants
..Vs..

1. M/s. International Asset Reconstruction Company Limited, Having its Branch Office at; #A-601/602/605, 6th Floor, 215 Atrium, Kanakia Spaces, Andheri Kurla Road, Andheri (East), Mumbai-400093. Rept. By its Chairman/President.
2. **M/s. Electrex (India) Limited, 21-D1, Peenya Industrial Area, 2nd Phase, Bengaluru-560058. Rept. By its Managing Director.**
3. Industrial Finance Corporation of India Ltd., Having its Office at : Tower 61, Nehru Place, New Delhi - 10019 Represented by its Chairman/President.
4. Kotak Mahindra Bank Ltd., A Banking company Incorporated under the Companies Act, 1956 having its registered Office at; 27-BKC, Plot No.C-27, "G Block", Bandra Kurla Complex, Bandra (E), Mumbai-400051.
   And also having office at; 6th Floor, 12-BKC, Plot No.C-12, "G Block", Bandra Kurla Complex, Bandra (E), Mumbai-400051. Represented by its Chairman/President

...Defendants No.1 to 4

Sir / Madam,

Sub : Notice in S.A.No.33 of 2025, pending before Hon'ble Debt Recovery Tribunal-I, Chennai.

Please take notice that in the above matter filed by the petitioner namely Jhansirani Vinodkumar & 25 Ors, challenging the measures initiated by the Defendants. The Hon'ble Tribunal has ordered Private Notice to the Defendant No. 2 by way of paper publication returnable by 03.03.2026. The Defendant No. 2 (i.e., **M/s. Electrex (India) Limited**) is therefore hereby called upon to appear before the Hon'ble Debt Recovery Tribunal - I, Chennai, situated at 7th Floor, Additional Office Building, Shastri Bhavan, Haddows Road, Nungambakkam, Chennai-600 006 **on 27.03.2026 at 11.00 A.M** in the above S.A. No. 33 of 2025 either in person or through your Advocate failing which the matter will be decided in your absence.

Yours, **SHRIKANTH PATIL**
Counsel for Applicants

MANGALORE ELECTRICITY SUPPLY COMPANY LIMITED
(A Government of Karnataka undertaking)
Corporate Office, "MESCOM BHAVANA", Bejai, Mangalore - 575 004
Ph: 0824-2885795 CIN: U40109 KA 2002 SGC 030425

PAPER NOTIFICATION

Mangalore Electricity Supply Company (MESCOM) has formed **"Consumer Grievance Redressal forum District Level"** and **"Consumer Grievance Redressal forum- Company level"** to resolve the grievances related to electricity quickly & provide better services to its consumers. The Consumers can avail information of Name of the Revenue Districts, Chairpersons, Members and Forum Headquarters with contact detail by using the link as below:

https://mescom.karnataka.gov.in/storage/pdf-files/Commercial%20Section/cgrf_kannada.pdf

Sd/- Superintending Engineer (Ele) (Coml)

DIPR/DK/KSMCA/1743/ 25-26 dt: 12.03.2026

For Power Related Complaints & Assistance Call Toll Free Number 1912

KARNATAKA POWER TRANSMISSION CORPORATION LIMITED
(CIN: U40109KA1999SGC025521)

No:CEE/Tr(Op)Z/SEE(O)/AE-2/25-26/13359-61, 13362-64 & 13365-67 Dt: 12.03.2026

TENDER NOTIFICATION (Through KPPP mode only)

KPTCL invites tender for Augmentation of Power Transformer in Transmission (Operations) Zone, Tumakuru for the following works:

(1) Bid Enquiry No.: KPTCL/CEE/Tr(o)Z/SEE(O)/AE-2/2025-26/93 dt: 21.01.2026/Call-2 for Replacement of **2x12.5 MVA**, 66/11kV Power Transformer-1 & 2 by **2x20MVA** 66/11kV Power Transformer at 66/11KV Sub-station **I.D.Halli,** Madhugiri taluk, Madhugiri Operation Division, KPTCL, Madhugiri.

(2) Bid Enquiry No.: KPTCL/CEE/Tr(o)Z/SEE(O)/AE-2/2025-26/94dt: 21.01.2026/Call-2 for Replacement of **2x12.5 MVA**, 66/11kV Power Transformer-1 & 2 by **2x20MVA** 66/11kV Power Transformer at 66/11KV Sub-station **Madhugiri,** Madhugiri Taluk, Madhugiri Operation Division, KPTCL, Madhugiri.

(3) Bid Enquiry No.: KPTCL/CEE/Tr(o)Z/SEE(O)/AE-2/2025-26/106 dt:23.02.2026 for Replacement of Replacement of **3x20MVA, 66/11kV Power Transformer by 3x31.5MVA, 66/11kV Power Transformer** at **220/66/11KV Sub-station Antharasanahalli**, Tumakuru taluk, Tumakuru Operation Division, KPTCL, Tumakuru District

(4) Bid Enquiry No.: KPTCL/CEE/Tr(o)Z/SEE(O)/AE-2/2025-26/104 dt:18.02.2026 for Replacement of **2X12.5MVA, 66/11kV Power Transformer-1&2 by 2X20MVA Power Transformers at 66/11kV Sub-Station Kodigenahalli** in Madhugiri Operation Division, KPTCL, Tumkur District.

For all the above works including supply of equipments/ materials, Dismantling and erection (including civil works), under Partial Turnkey basis, on Percentage Tender Basis. (Excluding the supply of Major materials such as Power Transformer & NIFS, which will be supplied by KPTCL. Testing & commissioning, done by KPTCL RT Staff)

The detailed information regarding subject enquiry in KPP portal can be obtained by logging on to KPTCL website **https://kptcl.karnataka.gov.in** on hyperlink **"E Procurement KPTCL"** or **https://kppp.Karnataka.gov.in on or after 18.03.2026** for Sl.No. (1) & (2) and **on or after 16.03.2026** for Sl.No. (3) & (4) and other details can be obtained from the office of the undersigned.

Sd/-Chief Engineer (Electy.), Transmission (Operations) Zone, KPTCL, "Prasarana Bhavana, 1st Floor, Tumakuru 66/11kV S/s Premises, Tumakuru-572 103.

MANGALORE ELECTRICITY SUPPLY COMPANY LIMITED
(A Government of Karnataka undertaking)
Corporate Office, "MESCOM BHAVANA", Bejai, Mangalore - 575 004
Ph: 0824-2885796 CIN: U40109 KA 2002 SGC 030425

No: No: MESCOM/SEE(Proj)/EE(W)/I/4049 Date: 06.03.2026

TENDER NOTIFICATION (KPPP Mode Only)

MESCOM invites tender for the work of Reconductoring of existing 33 kV Hiriyadka-Karkala Single Circuit line from Rabbit conductor to Coyote conductor from 110/33/11 kV Hiriyadka substation to 110/11 kV Karkala substation for a distance of 21.28 kms in Karkala Subdivision, Karkala Division on Total Turnkey Basis vide bid enquiry no. **MESCOM/2025-26/EL/WORK_INDENT456**

The interested eligible bidders may log on to **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** on or after **13.03.2026**

Sd/-,
Superintending Engineer (Ele) (Projects)

DIPR/DK/KSMCA/1744/ 25-26 dt:12.03.2026

For Power Related Complaints & Assistance Call Toll Free Number 1912

CITY UNION BANK LIMITED
Credit Recovery and Management Department
Administrative Office: No.24-B, Gandhi Nagar, Kumbakonam - 612001. **E-Mail id:** crmd@cityunionbank.in, **Phone:** 0435-2432322, **Fax:** 0435-2431746

CUB TRUST AND EXCELLENCE SINCE 1904

RE-TENDER-CUM-AUCTION SALE NOTICE UNDER SARFAESI ACT 2002

The following property/ies mortgaged to **City Union Bank Limited** will be sold in Re-Tender-cum-Public Auction by the Authorised Officer of the Bank, under Rule 8 (6) & 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002, under the SARFAESI Act, 2002, for recovery of a sum of **Rs.32,95,524/- (Rupees Thirty Two Lakh Ninety Five Thousand Five Hundred and Twenty Four only)** as on **09-03-2026** together with further interest to be charged from **10-03-2026** onwards and other expenses, any other dues to the Bank by the borrowers / guarantors **No.1) M/s. A R Silk Traders, (Represented by Mr. Afshad Pasha as its Proprietor), 2nd Cross, Ward No.16, No.2893, Motinagar, Ramanagara - 562159. No.2) Mr. Afshad Pasha.A, S/o. Abdul Subhan, No.56, Ward No.14, Town Police Station, 1st Cross, Nalbandwadi, Mohalla, Ramanagara - 562159. No.3) Mrs. Jabeen Taj, W/o. Afshad Pasha.A, No.56, Ward No.14, Town Police Station, 1st Cross, Nalbandwadi, Mohalla, Ramanagara - 562159.**

Immovable Property Mortgaged to our Bank
(Property Owned by Mrs. Jabeen Taj, W/o. Afshad Pasha.A)

All that Piece and Parcel of Property Bearing Old Municipal Khatha No.130/1452/2485C, Property No.14-2-506-56/1, Assessment No.130/1452/2485C, Measuring : East to West - 12 Feet and North to South - 38 Feet. Totally Measuring 456.00 Sq.Ft. Situated at Nalbandwadi 1st Stage, Ramanagara. Bounded on : East by : House of Babul, West by : House of Aslam, North by : Road, South by : House of Israq.

Reserve Price : Rs.22,00,000/-
(Rupees Twenty Two Lakh only)

RE-AUCTION DETAILS

Date of Re-Tender-cum-Auction Sale	Venue
08-04-2026	**City Union Bank Limited, Bengaluru-Ramanagara Branch,** B.M.Road, 316, I Stage, Near Bus Stand, Bengaluru-Mysore Main Road, Ramanagara, Bengaluru Rural - 571511. Telephone No.080-27276688, Cell Nos.9379511195, 8925964904.

Terms and Conditions of Re-Tender-cum-Auction Sale :

(1) The intending bidders should be present in person for the auction and participate personally and give a declaration in writing to the effect that he/she is bidding for himself/herself. **(2)** The intending bidders may obtain the Tender Forms from **The Manager, City Union Bank Limited, Bengaluru-Ramanagara Branch, B.M.Road, 316, I Stage, Near Bus Stand, Bengaluru - Mysore Main Road, Ramanagara, Bengaluru Rural - 571511. (3)** The intending bidders should submit their bids only in the Tender Form prescribed in sealed envelopes addressed to **The Authorised Officer, City Union Bank Ltd.,** together with a Pay Order / Demand Draft for an EMD of **10%** of the Reserve Price, drawn in favour of **"City Union Bank Ltd.", on or before 12.00 Noon** on the date of Tender-cum-Auction Sale hereby notified. **(4)** For inspection of the property and other particulars, the intending purchaser may contact **Telephone No.080-27276688, Cell Nos.9379511195, 8925964904. (5)** The property/ ies are sold on "As-is-where-is", "As-is-what-is" and "whatever-there is" basis. **(6)** The sealed tenders will be opened in the presence of the intending bidders at **01.00 p.m.** on the date of Tender-cum-Auction Sale hereby notified. Though in general the sale will be by way of closed tenders, the Authorised Officer may, at his sole discretion, conduct an Open Auction among the interested bidders who desire to quote a bid higher than the one received in the closed tender process, and in such an event, the sale shall be conferred on the person making highest bid. The sale, however, is subject to confirmation of City Union Bank Limited. **(7)** The successful bidder shall have to pay **25% (inclusive of EMD paid)** of the Sale amount **immediately** on completion of sale and the balance amount of **75%** within **15 days** from the date of confirmation of sale, failing which the initial deposit of **25%** shall be forfeited. **(8)** The Sale Certificate will be issued by the Authorised Officer in favour of the successful purchaser only after receipt of the entire sale consideration within the time limit stipulated herein. **(9)** The successful purchaser shall bear the charges/fees payable for conveyance, such as stamp duty, registration fee etc., as applicable under law. **(10)** The successful bidder should pay the statutory dues (lawful house tax, electricity charges and other dues), TDS, GST if any, due to Government, Government Undertaking and local bodies. **(11)** The Authorised Officer shall have all the powers to accept or reject the bids or postpone or cancel the sale without assigning any reason whatsoever.

Place : Kumbakonam, Date : 11-03-2026 **Authorised Officer**

Regd. Office: 149, T.S.R. (Big) Street, Kumbakonam, Thanjavur District, Tamil Nadu - 612001, **CIN -** L65110TN1904PLC001287, **Telephone No.**0435-2402322, **Fax:** 0435-2431746, **Website:** www.cityunionbank.com

SMART ADS

FOR SALE
Sale **6825** Sqft Residential Plot Lush Greenery Coconut Teak Silver Fruits Trees at Chikkajala Just 20 Mins North Bengaluru Residential Site from Internatinal Airport.
9448717222

FOR SALE
4000 Sqft North East Corner Plot for Sale Judicial Layout Jakkur. 40ft Road on both Sides. Buying Commission Applicable. Direct Buyers only.
WhatsApp Message only
9663766492

FOR SALE
Industrial Shed for Sale 21500sft Peenya 3rd Stage with RCC Building 6000sft. Fabricated Shed 16000sft with 70HP Power Rs 14500 Per sft
Contact:
9845922769

RENT
4 + BHK Independent Villa **5000 sqft** East Facing with Ample Parking Newly Built with all Modern Facilities (Home Theatre, Amphitheatre) Ideal for Guest houses / Commercial/ office etc available for Rent in JP Nagar 1st phase .
Contact:
94814 24697/698

FOR SALE
JUDICIAL LAYOUT JAKKUR SITE FOR SALE
7850sft East Facing Residential Plan Sanctioned on 14th Main 22k Per Sft
Contact:
9845922769

AVAILABLE
D Pharma Certificate for Medical Stores at Gulbarga or Bangalore.
Contact
Ashok Kumar Kulkarni
9019688277

CLOSING DOWN SALE
RAYMOND DISCOUNT SHOP
PICK ANY ITEM Rs. 500/- only
2 Nos. Raymond T/W Pant Pc
2 Nos. Raymond Shirt Pc
Raymond Pant Pc + Shirt Pc
COMBO GIFT BOX
RAYMOND 3Pc SUIT Length Rs.1000/-
AT NEW **M.N.** Next to **K.F.C**
DISPENSARY Rd. OFF COMMERCIAL BANGALORE -1 **Mob: 9343 03 7218**

RENT
Commercial Space Available immediately:
- **Suitable for Showroom**
- **1000 sq. ft.**
- **Ground Floor , Malleshwaram 8th Cross, Guttahalli Road**
- **Excellent frontage, equipped with 5KVA power.**

Expected Rent: Neg **₹1.20 Lakhs.** Serious enquiries only.
Contact:
9632222213

FOR RENT
COMMERCIAL SPACE for Rent 6000 Sq.ft 1st Floor 2000 Sqft, 2nd floor 2000 Sqft, 3rd floor 2000 Sqft Suitable for IAS & Other Competitive Exams Coaching Centre Study centre, Office, Bank, Gym Etc..
at Marenahalli Main Road, Vijayanagar Bangalore.
Contact:
9880200117
9448068082

For **SMART ADS** & INDIAN EXPRESS CLASSIFIEDS
Contact : Mr Ravi Kumar
9886550650
080-22866893

All the news. In just a click.
Log to www.newindianexpress.com
THE NEW INDIAN EXPRESS
/thenewindianexpress /@newindianexpress +The New Indian Express

Science and Technology Minister N S Boseraju said that permanent check posts have been set up to prevent the supply of chloral hydrate (CH) powder from outside states including Goa, Telangana, Andhra Pradesh. In the last 2 years, 1,117 cases have been registered in connection with the transportation of CH powder, 771 accused have been arrested, and 1498 kg of CH powder were seized

K'taka sees decade-high outflow of blue-collar workers to W Asia in '25

Karnataka records 6,927 emigration clearances in 2025, highest in a decade

VINCENT D'SOUZA @Mangaluru

AS tensions simmer across parts of West Asia, official data from the Ministry of External Affairs highlight the scale of India's economic and human exposure to the region. The Gulf continues to remain the largest hub for Indian workers abroad.

Karnataka has mirrored this outward migration. The state recorded 6,927 Emigration Clearances (ECs) in 2025, the highest in a decade, largely for blue-collar workers heading to West Asia. The state had issued 6,521 ECs in 2016, which fell to 4,267 in 2018 before recovering to 5,316 in 2019. Numbers plunged to 1,476 in 2020 during the pandemic and remained low at 2,143 in 2021. A sharp rebound followed: 5,700 in 2022, 6,209 in 2023, 5,811 in 2024 and a decade-high 6,927 in 2025.

These clearances apply to workers holding Emigration Check Required (ECR) passports processed through the e-Migrate system. India's overseas population stands at 3.43 crore as of January 2025, comprising Non-Resident Indians and Persons of Indian Origin. Nearly 9 million Indians live in the Gulf region alone. The United Arab Emirates hosts 38.9 lakh Indians, followed by Saudi Arabia (27.4 lakh), Kuwait (10.1 lakh), Qatar (8.3 lakh), Oman (6.6 lakh) and Bahrain (3.4 lakh). Smaller but sensitive presences include 1.23 lakh Indians in Israel and 10,320 in Iran.

Labour outflows have accelerated after the pandemic. Between January 2020 and June 2025, 16,06,964 ECs were issued nationwide. After dropping to 94,145 in 2020, clearances rose to 1.32 lakh in 2021, 3.73 lakh in 2022, 3.98 lakh in 2023 and 3.87 lakh in 2024. In the first half of 2025 alone, 2.21 lakh ECs have already been granted.

More than 85% of these clearances were for Gulf destinations, with Saudi Arabia accounting for over 6.95 lakh workers, followed by the UAE (3.41 lakh), Kuwait (2.01 lakh), Qatar (1.53 lakh) and Oman (1.16 lakh). Migration flows are increasingly driven by northern states. In 2025, Uttar Pradesh led with 1,66,022 clearances, followed by Bihar (89,127), Rajasthan (32,135) and West Bengal (30,316). States such as Tamil Nadu, Andhra Pradesh and Kerala continue to contribute, though their share has moderated compared to earlier decades.

In a statement to Parliament in February this year, the External Affairs Minister noted that India has historically been a major source of international migrants and that the increase in migration is a trend that began in the 1990s and continues today.

LARGEST INDIAN DIASPORA ABROAD (AS OF JAN 2025)

United States	56,93,609
UAE	38,97,567
Canada	36,11,290
Malaysia	29,35,000
Saudi Arabia	27,47,551

Members of NSUI protest against LPG shortage outside Union Minister Nirmala Sitharaman's office on Ali Asker Road, in Bengaluru, on Thursday | EXPRESS

RAISE LPG SHORTAGE ISSUE IN PARLIAMENT: DCM TO BJP MPs

BENGALURU: Deputy Chief Minister DK Shivakumar on Thursday urged BJP MPs from Karnataka to raise the issue of LPG shortage in Parliament and seek a resolution. Speaking to the media in Bengaluru, Shivakumar said MPs speak on several issues, but should prioritise raising the LPG shortage affecting the state. "The shortage of LPG cylinders is causing serious problems for the public, but none of the BJP MPs are speaking about it. The increase in LPG prices is also affecting people, but the state government cannot intervene as LPG pricing falls under the Centre's jurisdiction," he said. The Deputy Chief Minister added that the Centre must ensure that people do not face inconvenience due to the shortage. "We do not know how much worse the situation could get. Autorickshaws that run on LPG have already stopped operating," he said.

KHANDRE WARNS AGAINST ILLEGAL TREE FELLING

BENGALURU: In the wake of the West Asia war crisis and reports of people switching to firewood for cooking in homestays, restaurants, hotels and resorts, Forest, Environment and Ecology Minister Eshwar B Khandre issued a stern warning against the illegal felling of trees. The minister directed officials of the Forest and Environment Department to intensify patrolling and take strict legal action against those involved in illegal tree cutting. He also instructed the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests and the Chief Wildlife Warden to closely monitor the situation. He warned that if cases of illegal tree felling are detected, action will be taken not only against the offenders but also against the officials responsible for oversight.

Committee members

Kris Gopalakrishnan, Chairperson: Chairman at Axilor Ventures, co-founder of Infosys

Dr Manjula N, Co-chair: Secretary of Dept of Electronics, IT&BT, S&T

Ajay Vij, Member: Country Managing Director at Accenture India

Lingraju Sawkar, Member: President, Kyndryl India

Amith Singhee, Member: Chief Technology Officer at IBM India/South Asia

Sanjeev Jain, Member: Chief Operating Officer at Wipro

Prof. Debabrata Das, Member: Director at IIIT Bengaluru

Bhaskar Verma, Member: Regional Director at NASSCOM

Vivek Raghavan, Member: Co-founder at Sarvam AI

Ashok Kamath, Member: CEO at AI CoE

Dinesh Vijayakumar, Member: Legal Head at IBM

Rahul Manthan, Member: Technology, Media, and Telecom Head at Trilegal

Member Secretary: Managing Director KITS, Dept of Electronics, IT&BT

'Responsible AI' panel holds meet on Day one

CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1

THE committee, which held its first meeting on the same day as its constitution, is chaired by Infosys co-founder Kris Gopalakrishnan. As per the meeting held on Thursday, the committee is tasked with developing a risk classification framework for AI systems used in governance, categorising applications based on potential impact and risk levels, and recommending a Responsible AI policy framework for adoption across government departments. This will be in alignment with the Digital Personal Data Protection (DPDP) Act, sectoral laws and the country's digital public infrastructure. Security of personal data will be a priority as well.

The committee is also tasked with recommending safeguards, approvals and review mechanisms for high-risk AI applications in sectors such as welfare delivery, healthcare, education, policing, recruitment, financial decision-making and public safety. Individuals who interact with AI are slated to have their interactions made transparent; for example, while using a government window such as a grievance redressal window, the user will be made aware if they are interacting with a chatbot.

On the regulatory front, the committee will also examine the implications of generative AI in the context of social media, including but not limited to content created using personal information or attributes without consent, misinformation, algorithmic amplification and potential societal or electoral manipulation. AI's use will also likely be curtailed from unlawful surveillance, discriminatory profiling or exclusion, and automated decision-making without human oversight.

Byrathi Basavaraj gets conditional bail

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

BIKLU SHIVA MURDER

THE Special Court for People's Representatives on Thursday granted conditional bail to KR Puram BJP MLA Byrathi Basavaraj, the fifth accused in the murder case of rowdy-sheeter 'Biklu Shiva' alias Shiva Kumar.

The court granted bail on a bond of Rs 2 lakh and two sureties. The MLA has been directed to appear before the investigating officer on every second Sunday for three months between 9 am and 5 pm. He has also been barred from travelling without the court's permission.

Basavaraj had been absconding after the High Court denied him bail. The Supreme Court had also rejected his bail plea.

He was arrested by CID officials at Kempegowda International Airport on February 13 and later remanded to judicial custody. The MLA was lodged at Bengaluru Central Prison in Parappana Agrahara.

Shiva Kumar was hacked to death on July 15 last year in connection with a land dispute near Halasuru. He was a rowdy-sheeter at the Bharathinagar police station.

A complaint in the case was filed by the victim's mother at the Bharathinagar police station. The case is currently being investigated by the CID.

Government of Karnataka
Minor Irrigation & Ground Water Development Department
OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER MINOR IRRIGATION & GROUND WATER DEVELOPMENT DIVISION BIDAR
bdr_eemi @yahoo.com eemibidar@gmail.com Phone/Fax: 08482 232080

EE/MI&GWD/BDR/TS-1&2/Tender/2025-26/ 556 Date: 10-03-2026

KPP -Procurement Tender Details

1) Name of Works : As mentioned in KPP-Portal , 2) Estimate cost of Work : As mentioned in KPP -Portal, 3) Eligibility of Contractor : As mentioned in KPP -Portal, 4) Amount put to tender : As mentioned in KPP -Portal, 5) Cost of tender form & Details of EMD:As mentioned in KPP -Portal, 6) Last date & time for tender queries/ clarifications KW-1, KW-2, KW-3 Only : **16-03-2026 Up to 17-00 Hours,** 7) Last Date & Time for receipt of KW-1, KW-2, KW-3 Only : **20-03-2026 Up to 16.00 Hours,** 8) Date & time for opening Technical bid KW-1, KW-2, KW-3 Only : **23-03-2026 @ 11.00 Hours if possible,** 9) Date & time for opening financial bid KW-1, KW-2, KW-3 Only : **25-03-2026 @ 11.00 Hours if possible,** 10) For any clarification and details, office to be contacted : Executive Engineer, MI & GWD Division Bidar Phone/ Fax : 08482 232080, 11) Website details : KPP portal https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in

Sd/- Executive Engineer
MI & GWD Division, Bidar

DIPR/Bidar/359/KSMC&A/2025-26

KARANATAKA NEERAVARI NIGAM LIMITED
(A Government of Karnataka Enterprise)
Office of the Executive Engineer, Kalasa Project Division, Khanapur, Belagavi – 591302

The tender Notification No: KNNL/KPD/KNP/PB/TND/2025-26/2131 To 2137 Date: 11.03.2026.

SHORT TERM: PERCENTAGE TENDER NOTIFICATION
(Through Kpp-portal only)

1. Percentage tender is invited from eligible KPWD registered Contractor / The Firm registrar with of company through KPP-Portal according to standard tender document rules in prescribed form on behalf of Managing Director, Karnataka Neeravari Nigam Limited, Bengaluru.

Sl No	Name of Work	Amount put to tender (Exclusive of GST) (In Lakhs)	Category / Class of Contractors
1	Improvements to road from Beejagarni village to Janewadi village in Belagavi Taluka. **(W.I. No. KNNL/2025-26/ RD/WORK_INDENT4176)**	338.81	Class-II & above
2	Improvements to road from Belavatti village to Karle-Kawalewadi Main road in Belagavi Tulaka. **(W.I. No. KNNL/2025-26/RD/WORK_INDENT4177)**	422.48	Class-II & above
3	Improvements to road from Kudaremani Village main road to Shinoli-Surute main road and Shinoli-Surute main road Sonoli Village limits in Belagavi Taluka. **(W.I. No. KNNL/2025-26/RD/WORK_INDENT4178)**	338.84	Class-II & above
4	Improvements to road from Mandolli village to Khadarwadi village in Belagavi Taluka. **(W.I. No. KNNL/2025-26/RD/WORK_INDENT4179)**	211.56	Class-II & above
5	Improvements of Road from Turamari- Konewadi Main road to Uchagaon Village in Belagavi Tulaka. **(W.I. No. KNNL/2025-26/RD/WORK_ INDENT4180)**	254.06	Class-II & above
6	Improvements to road from Yelebail village to Markandeya river (near surute village) in Belagavi Taluka. **(W.I. No. KNNL/2025-26/RD/WORK_ INDENT4181)**	127.09	Class-III & above
7	Consultancy Services For Third Party Inspection, Supervision And Submission of Reports etc Complete For The Work Of Hangaraga Tank Filling Scheme in Belagavi Taluka, Belagavi Dist. **(W.I. No. KNNL/2025-26/SE0398)**	61.65	The registrar of the Firm/ Company with the register of companies.

2. Details and Tender documents may be downloaded through website **www.kppp.karnataka.gov.in/index.seam** and Filled bids for the above works may be submitted through the KPP portal until **25.03.2026, 4:00 PM.**
3. The Pre-bid Meeting will be held in the office of the Executive Engineer, KNNL, Kalasa Project Division Khanapur on **20.03.2026 at 11.00AM**. Technical bid will be opened on **26.03.2026 at 4.30 PM**.
4. For further details such as, EMD amount, time limit, cost of tender form, eligibility for work, terms and conditions of tender visit our website **www.kppp.karnataka.gov.in** or contact the EE, KPD, Khanapur during office hours on any working day.

Sd/- Executive Engineer,
KNNL, Kalasa Project Division,
Khanapur, Belagavi

DIPR/BGM/2059/DeshpandePublicity/2025-26

STATE BANK OF INDIA
STRESSED ASSETS RECOVERY BRANCH (05173), # 11/90, 3rd Floor, Opp. Trustwell Hospitals, J C Road, Bangalore-560002. Ph: 080-2594 3678, 2594 3663, Fax: 080 2594 3664, Email Id: sbi.05173@sbi.co.in

DEMAND NOTICE TO BORROWER/S

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 13 (2) OF SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT 2002 (HEREINAFTER CALLED 'ACT ')

A notice is hereby given that the following of **1) Smt.Sameena Kouser D/o Mr.Burhan Khan** have defaulted in the repayment of principal and interest of the loan facility obtained by them from the Bank and the loan accounts have been classified as Non-Performing Assets (NPA). The notices were issued to them and guarantors under Section 13(2) of Securitization and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 on their last known addresses, but they have been returned unserved and as such they are hereby informed by way of this public notice.

Name and Address of the Borrower/s : Smt. Sameena Kouser D/o Mr. Burhan Khan No.1339, Islam Pur Mohalla, Channapatna, Daira, Channapatna, Ramanagar, Karnataka-562160. **And also at : i)** Flat No. FR-F2, 4th Floor, "MSR NEEPA" Apartment, 6th Cross, 9th A Main, 1st Stage, 1st Block, Srinagar, Banashankari, Bangalore-560050. **ii)** Flat No.705, Al Maha Building, B-Block, Al Nahda-1, Sharjah UAE, **iii)** Emirates Snack Foods LLC, 3B Street, Umm Ramool, Dubai, UAE.

Account No : HTL-42476917171, Suraksha-42476983348

Demand Notice: 02.03.2026 **NPA Date : 18.01.2026**

Amount outstanding : Rs. 1,49,30,182/- (Rupees One crore forty nine lakhs thirty thousand one hundred and eighty two only) as on 01.03.2026 and you are also liable to pay future interest from 02.03.2026 at contractual rate on the aforesaid amount together with incidental expenses, cost, charges etc.

Description of the Immovable Property : Schedule "A" Property : All that piece and parcel of immovable property bearing New Municipal No.4 (Old No.847), BBMP Katha No.847/A, PID No.53-30-4, situated at 6th Cross, 9th A Main, 1st Stage, 1st Block, Srinagar, Banashankari, Bangalore, now within the limits of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, Ward No.53 (New Ward No.156), measuring East to West: 40 Feet and North to South: 64.5+63/ Feet, in all measuring: 2,550 Sq.Ft., and **bounded as follows : East by :** Site No.846, **West by :** Site No.848, **North by :** Site No.844, **South by :** Road.

Schedule "B" Property : 255.59 Sq.Feet., undivided share, right, interest and ownership in Schedule "A" Property.

Schedule "C" Property : Property bearing Flat No.FR-F2, 4th Floor, containing Three Bedrooms having and Super Built Up Area of 1500 Sq.Feet which includes proportionate share in common area and other areas used in common by all the Apartment Owners in "MSR NEEPA" along with exclusive right to use One Top Covered Car Parking Space bearing # FR-F2, in the "MSR NEEPA" constructed on Schedule "A" Property and the flat is held in the name of "Smt.Sameena Kouser D/o Mr.Burhan Khan" and the Apartment is **bounded by : East by :** Common Passage, **West by :** Others Property, **North by :** Others Property, South by : Flat No.FR-F1.

Absolute Sale Deed is registered on 01.12.2023 in favour of **"Smt. Sameena Kouser D/o Mr.Burhan Khan"** in the office of Senior SRO Basavanagudi, Bangalore in Book No.1 under Document No. BSG-1-08287/2023-24 dated 01.12.2023.

The steps are being taken for substituted service of notice. The above Borrowers/Guarantors/mortgagors are hereby called upon to make payment of outstanding amount within 60 days from the date of publication of this notice, failing which further steps will be taken after expiry of 60 days from the date of this notice under sub-section (4) of Section 13 of Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security interest Act, 2002.

The borrowers/guarantors/ mortgagors attention is invited to provisions of Sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to redeem the secured assets.

Date : 02.03.2026 **Sd/- Authorised Officer, State Bank of India**
Place : Bengaluru **SARB Branch, Bengaluru.**

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರ್ಕಾರ
ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಇಂಜಿನೀಯರರು, ಲೋಕೋಪಯೋಗಿ ಇಲಾಖೆ ವಿಭಾಗ ಬಾಗಲಕೋಟ ಇವರ ಕಛೇರಿ.

ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ.ಲೋಇ:ಬಾವಿ:ಪಿಬಿ:ಕೆಡಬ್ಲು:2025–26/5474 ದಿನಾಂಕ:10–03–2026.

–: ಟೆಂಡರ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ:–

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕ ಸಂಗ್ರಹಣೆಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಪಾರದರ್ಶಕತೆ ಆದ್ಯಾದೇಶ 1999–2000ರ ಪ್ರಕಾರ ಅ್ಯಕ್ಟ 2000ರ ನಿಯಮದಂತೆ ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಲೋಕೋಪಯೋಗಿ ಇಲಾಖೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ನೊಂದಾಯಿತರಾದ ಅರ್ಹ ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆದಾರರಿಂದ KPPP ಪೋರ್ಟಲ್ ಮುಖಾಂತರ ಬಾಗಲಕೋಟ ವಿಭಾಗದ ಅಡಿಯಲ್ಲಿಯ ಈ ಕೆಳಕಾಣಿಸಿದ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳ ಟೆಂಡರ ಅಹ್ವಾನಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ.

ವರ್ಕ ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ: **ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ: SE1110, 34510**

ಈ ಎಲ್ಲ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಯ ಗರಿಷ್ಠ ಟೆಂಡರಗಿಟ್ಟ ಮೊತ್ತ ರೂ.25.00 ಲಕ್ಷ ಹಾಗೂ ಕನಿಷ್ಠ ಮೊತ್ತ ರೂ.21.50 ಲಕ್ಷಗಳ ವರೆಗಿನ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಈ ಕೆಳಕಾಣಿಸಿದ ದಿನಾಂಕಗಳಂತೆ ಟೆಂಡರ ಅಹ್ವಾನಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ.

ಅ)ಟೆಂಡರ ಆಕ್ಷೇಪಣೆಗಾಗಿ ನಿಗಧಿ ಪಡಿಸಿದ ದಿನಾಂಕ:17–03–2026 ರಂದು ಸಂಜೆ 5–30 ಘಂಟೆಯವರೆಗೆ, ಬ)ಟೆಂಡರ ಸ್ವೀಕರಿಸುವ ದಿನಾಂಕ: 20–03–2026 ರಂದು ಸಂಜೆ 4–00 ಘಂಟೆಯವರೆಗೆ, ಕ)ಆರ್ಥಿಕ ಬಿಡ್ ತೆರೆಯುವ ದಿನಾಂಕ:23–03–2026 ರಂದು ಸಂಜೆ 4.30 ಘಂಟೆಯವರೆಗೆ

ವರ್ಕ ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ: **ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ: 34514, 34513, 34512, 34511, 34515, 34542, 34544, 34550, 34553, 34543.**

ಈ ಎಲ್ಲ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಯ ಗರಿಷ್ಠ ಟೆಂಡರಗಿಟ್ಟ ಮೊತ್ತ ರೂ.450.00ಲಕ್ಷ ಹಾಗೂ ಕನಿಷ್ಠ ಮೊತ್ತ ರೂ.80.00 ಲಕ್ಷಗಳ ವರೆಗಿನ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಈ ಕೆಳಕಾಣಿಸಿದ ದಿನಾಂಕಗಳಂತೆ ಟೆಂಡರ ಅಹ್ವಾನಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ.

ಅ)ಪ್ರೀಬಿಡ್ ಮೀಟಿಂಗ್ ದಿನಾಂಕ:23–04–2026 ರಂದು ಬೆಳಿಗ್ಗೆ 11.00 ಘಂಟೆಯವರೆಗೆ, ಅ)ಟೆಂಡರ ಆಕ್ಷೇಪಣೆಗಾಗಿ ನಿಗಧಿ ಪಡಿಸಿದ ದಿನಾಂಕ: 24–04–2026 ರಂದು ಸಂಜೆ 5–30 ಘಂಟೆಯವರೆಗೆ, ಬ)ಟೆಂಡರ ಸ್ವೀಕರಿಸುವ ದಿನಾಂಕ: 27–04–2026 ರಂದು ಸಂಜೆ 4–00 ಘಂಟೆಯವರೆಗೆ, ಕ) ಆರ್ಥಿಕ ಬಿಡ್ ತೆರೆಯುವ ದಿನಾಂಕ:28–04–2026 ರಂದು ಸಂಜೆ 4.30 ಘಂಟೆಯವರೆಗೆ

ಸಹಿ/–ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಇಂಜಿನೀಯರರು,
ಲೋಕೋಪಯೋಗಿ ಇಲಾಖೆ ವಿಭಾಗ ಬಾಗಲಕೋಟೆ.

DIPR/BGK/RO-NO-642/KSMCA/2025-26

STATE BANK OF INDIA
STRESSED ASSETS RECOVERY BRANCH (05173), # 11/90, 3rd Floor, Opp. Trustwell Hospitals, J C Road, Bangalore-560002. Ph: 080-2594 3678, 2594 3663, Fax: 080 2594 3664, Email Id: sbi.05173@sbi.co.in

DEMAND NOTICE TO BORROWER/S

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 13 (2) OF SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT 2002 (HEREINAFTER CALLED 'ACT ')

A notice is hereby given that the following of **1) Sri. Rohan Sadashiv Shetty S/o Sri. Sadashiv Kadappa Shetty** have defaulted in the repayment of principal and interest of the loan facility obtained by them from the Bank and the loan accounts have been classified as Non-Performing Assets (NPA). The notices were issued to them and guarantors under Section 13(2) of Securitization and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 on their last known addresses, but they have been returned unserved and as such they are hereby informed by way of this public notice.

Name and Address of the Borrower/s : Sri. Rohan Sadashiv Shetty S/o. Sri. Sadashiv Kadappa Shetty, Flat No. FF-2, 1st Floor, "MSR NEEP" Apartment, 6th Cross, 9th A Main, 1st Stage, 1st Block, Srinagar, Banashankari, Bangalore -560050. **And also at :** i) No.68/1, 158, Back Side of Mangalore Independent PU College, Ullal Main Road, Mallathahalli, Bangalore-560056. **ii)** No.594/A, Flat No.G 1, Sai Apartment, Near Trikoni Garden, Sangli, Maharashtra-416416. **iii)** Casinetto Trading LLC, Plot 597-4873, Street 68, Community 579, Dubai Investment Park-2, Dubai, UAE. **iv)** Room No.244, Block A, Building Name Ritaj, Near Dunes Village, Dubai Investment Park-2, Dubai, UAE.

Account No : HTL-43010980690

Demand Notice: 02.03.2026 **NPA Date : 13.01.2026**

Amount outstanding : Rs. 1,44,75,461/- (Rupees One crore forty four lakhs seventy five thousand four hundred and sixty one only) as on 01.03.2026 and you are also liable to pay future interest from 02.03.2026 at contractual rate on the aforesaid amount together with incidental expenses, cost, charges etc.

Description of the Immovable Property : Schedule "A" Property : All that piece and parcel of immovable property bearing New Municipal No.4 (Old No.847), BBMP Katha No.847/A, PID No.53-30-4, situated at 6th Cross, 9th A Main, 1st Stage, 1st Block, Srinagar, Banashankari, Bangalore, now within the limits of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, Ward No.53 (New Ward No.156), measuring East to West: 40 Feet and North to South: 64.5+63/ Feet, in all measuring: 2,550 Sq.Ft., and **bounded as follows : East by :** Site No.846, **West by :** Site No.848, **North by :** Site No.844, **South by :** Road.

Schedule "B" Property : 255.59 Sq.Feet., undivided share, right, interest and ownership in Schedule "A" Property.

Schedule "C" Property : Property bearing Flat No.FF-2, 1st Floor, containing Three Bedrooms having and Super Built Up Area of 1500 Sq.Feet which includes proportionate share in common area and other areas used in common by all the Apartment Owners in "MSR NEEPA" along with exclusive right to use One Top Covered Car Parking Space bearing # FF-2, in the "MSR NEEPA" constructed on Schedule "A" Property and the flat is held in the name of "Sri.Rohan Sadashiv Shetty S/o Sri.Sadashiv Kadappa Shetty" and the Apartment is **bounded by : East by :** Common Passage, **West by :** Others Property, **North by :** Others Property, **South by :** Flat No.FF-1.

Absolute Sale Deed is registered on 30.05.2024 in favour of **"Sri.Rohan Sadashiv Shetty S/o Sri.Sadashiv Kadappa Shetty"** in the office of Senior SRO Basavanagudi, Bangalore in Book No.1 under Document No. BSG-1-01676/2024-25 dated 30.05.2024.

The steps are being taken for substituted service of notice. The above Borrowers/Guarantors/mortgagors are hereby called upon to make payment of outstanding amount within 60 days from the date of publication of this notice, failing which further steps will be taken after expiry of 60 days from the date of this notice under sub-section (4) of Section 13 of Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security interest Act, 2002.

The borrowers/guarantors/ mortgagors attention is invited to provisions of Sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to redeem the secured assets.

Date : 02.03.2026 **Sd/- Authorised Officer, State Bank of India**
Place : Bengaluru **SARB Branch, Bengaluru.**

Canara Bank
A Government of India Undertaking
ARM Branch - II, 2nd Floor, Circle Office, Spencer Towers, No. 86, M G Road, Bengaluru - 560001. Telephone No.s : 080-25310099, 080-25310181, e-mail – cb6298@canarabank.com

POSSESSION NOTICE [SECTION 13(4)]
(For immovable Property)

Whereas, The undersigned being the **Authorized Officer of the Canara Bank** under Securitization And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (Act 54 of 2002) (hereinafter referred to as "the Act") and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued a **Demand Notice Dated 31.12.2025** calling upon the Borrower/s **1. M/s Maheshwari Floritech, Rep. by its Prop. D.V. Nataraj,** Marangere village, Chikkathirupathi Post, Hoskote Taluk, Bengaluru Rural- 563130 , **2. Mr. D.V, Nataraj S/o. Vasu T,** Devanga Beedhi, Dommasandra, Anekal taluk, Bengaluru - 562125. **3. Mrs. Nanjamma R, W/o. Late Vasu .T,** Teru Beedi, Dommasandra Village, Sarjapur Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru Urban District - 562125, to repay the amount mentioned in the notice, being **Rs. 6,65,40,956.53 (Rupees Six Crores Sixty Five Lakhs Fourty Thousand Nine Hundred Fifty Six and Fifty Three Paise Only)** within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him / her under section 13 (4) of the said Act, read with Rule 8 & 9 of the said Rule on this **10th March of 2026.**

The borrower in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of **Canara Bank for an amount of Rs. 6,67,12,499.32/- (Rupees Six Crores Sixty-Seven Lakhs Twelve Thousand Four Hundred Ninty Nine and Thirty Two Paisa Only) as on 09.03.2026** and interest thereon.

The borrower's attention is invited to the provisions of Section 13 (8) of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

DETAILS OF IMMOVABLE ASSETS

1. All that Part & Parcel of Immovable Property bearing Property No. 189, Measuring : East to West 17 Feet and North to South : 47 Feet, VP Khatha No. 328 & 239, Teru Beedi, Dommasandra Village, Bengaluru Rural District bounded by :- **East :** Property Of Nagaraju, **West :** Property of Govindaraju, **North :** Agasara Seerappa, **South :** Khaneshumari No.188.
2. All that Part & Parcel of Immovable Property bearing Property No. 189, Measuring : East to West 17 Feet and North to South : 30 Feet, VP Khatha No. 328 & 239, Teru Beedi, Dommasandra Village, Bengaluru Rural District bounded by :- **East :** Property of Babusingh, **West :** Khata No. 188, **North :** Property Of Nagaraju, **South :** Property of T Vasu & Nanjamma.

Date : 10.03.2026 **Sd/- Authorised Officer,**
Place : Bengaluru **Canara bank**

The ED on Thursday said it has attached fresh assets worth more than Rs 581 crore as part of its investigation against RHFL and RCFL, companies of Reliance Group Chairman Anil Ambani. A provisional order was issued under the Prevention of Money Laundering Act on March 11

WEST ASIA CRISIS

PANIC BUYING DRIES UP FUEL STATIONS IN CHENNAI

Assurances fail to ease situation; Average sales surge by 50-70%

Two-wheelers and other vehicles queue up at a petrol pump at Ambattur in Chennai, amid the ongoing gas crisis in the country, on Thursday | P RAVIKUMAR

B ANBUSELVAN @Chennai

RUMORS that sale of petrol and diesel will get halted triggered widespread panic buying since Wednesday night across many places in Tamil Nadu and particularly in Chennai, leading to serpentine queues at several fuel stations.

According to the Tamil Nadu Petrol Dealers Association, average daily sales which had already risen by 15 to 20 % on Wednesday surged by 50% to 70% on Thursday. This spike caused many outlets to run dry.

The panic is said to have been partly sparked when employees at private fuel retail chains such as Reliance, Nayara, and Shell allegedly told motorists that their outlets might shut down due to lack of stock. The situation was aggravated due to the ongoing shortage of commercial LPG cylinders and surge and difficulties in booking domestic cylinders.

Industry sources explained that it is common practice for private companies to temporarily halt sales when crude oil prices surge in international markets. In contrast, public sector oil companies like IOCL, BPCL, and HPCL continue fuel sales regardless of price fluctuations.

On Thursday, staff at Shell petrol bunks in Korattur and Mogappair East told TNIE that their fuel stocks were running low and could run out any time. Of the nearly 7,000 fuel outlets in in Tamil Nadu, just around 700 are operated by private companies.

E Manikandan, purchasing fuel in Kolathur, said, "My cousin, who works as a mechanic, told me there won't be any fuel from Friday onwards. He said that due to the US-Israel conflict with Iran, all the channels through which fuel is brought to India have been blown up," providing a glimpse of the rumours getting floated.

Hyd lacks sufficient firewood stock to meet cooking needs: Traders

HYDERABAD: AS concerns over cooking fuel supplies grow and no stock availability of inductions, households and eateries in Hyderabad begun looking at firewood as a possible backup. But timber traders say the numbers tell a stark reality. Trad-ers estimate that the entire city currently has no more than about 2,000 tonnes of firewood in circulation. This quantity is far too small to support the city. PV Kuldeep, an employee of Timber India told *TNIE*, "We used to sell firewood at around Rs 7 to Rs 8 per kg. Now our suppliers are giving it to us at Rs 10 to Rs 12 per kg."

Attempts on to control LPG crisis: Suresh Gopi

THRISSUR: Union Minister of State for Petroleum and Natural Gas Suresh Gopi on Thursday said that efforts are underway to bring the LPG crisis under control and that avenues are opening for India to secure additional supply. He said Union Minister for Petroleum and Natural Gas Hardeep Singh Puri had answered questions regarding the LPG crisis in Parliament. He said due to diplomatic sensitivities, some matters related to supply through the Hormuz Strait cannot be revealed. PTI

SC seeks copy of TG Speaker order on disqualification pleas

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @Hyderabad

THE Supreme Court on Thursday disposed of contempt petitions over the alleged defection of 10 BRS MLAs to the Congress, after directing the Telangana Legislative Assembly Speaker to supply a copy of his decision on the disqualification pleas to the petitioners by Friday. A bench of Justice Sanjay Karol and Justice AG Masih was hearing contempt petitions alleging non-compliance with its July 31, 2025 order, which had given three months to the Speaker to decide on the disqualification petitions. During the hearing, the bench was informed that the Speaker had taken a decision on all pending disqualification petitions linked to the alleged defections. The court then disposed of the matter, while directing that the Speaker's office provide a copy of the decision to petitioners.

"The Office of the Speaker shall supply the order by tomorrow and the entire material to the petitioners within four days as is so required," the bench said. Senior advocates Abhishek Manu Singhvi and Mukul Rohatgi, appearing for the State of Telangana, submitted that nothing survives in the matter as the Speaker has already decided the petitions. Singhvi also informed the court that some of the decisions have already been challenged before the Telangana High Court. Counsel for the petitioners told the court that copies of the Speaker's decision had not yet been supplied, alleging delay tactics.

> **The Office of the Speaker shall supply the order by tomorrow and the entire material to the petitioners within 4 days as is so required** — Supreme Court

The court directed the Speaker's office to furnish the order and related material to the petitioners within the stipulated time. Earlier, after a warning from the court, the Speaker had rejected seven disqualification petitions in December last year. The remaining petitions were decided later.

Dr G: K'taka's transgender policy inclusive, and supportive

ENS @Bengaluru

IN a sensitive discussion on transgender rights and challenges in the Karnataka Legislative Council, MLCs Bharathi Shetty and K Shivakumar highlighted the numerous challenges faced by the community, prompting Home Minister **Dr G Parameshwara** to outline existing measures and commit to further action.

MLC Shetty raised key issues, including employment barriers, societal acceptance, and the need for broader support such as induction into defence forces, assistance for transgender films, and backing for initiatives undertaken for them. Dr Parameshwara acknowledged the "important humane issue" and explained the scientific and legal context: "Genetically, XX is female and XY is male, this is accidental. Society generally accepts only men or women, though acceptance varies across nations. The Supreme Court's 2014 judgment and other steps recognises transgenders' concerns."

He detailed Karnataka's efforts in inclusivity -- the Karnataka Transgender Welfare Policy (2017) provides identity cards, Mahila Helpline access, and voter ID facilities. In 2020-21, the state introduced 1 per cent horizontal reservation in government jobs across categories, leading to four selections in the Home department. He said a Transgender Protection Cell has been established, with a designated focal point officer in each police station.

Bridge first, AI can wait, say Gadag villagers

CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1

MANJUNATH Kalasannavar, a teacher in Nargund, said, "PU examinations are being held at the Government PP College and Lions College in Nargund, and 369 students from Konnur, Shirol and Chikka-naragunda are struggling to reach the examination centres. In an age of advanced technologies, our students have no transport to reach schools and colleges."

A Gadag district administration official said, "We will look into how the bridge can be restored and ensure the needful is done soon."

ISRO conducts successful cryogenic engine test

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @Bengaluru

THE Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO) on Thursday announced the successful completion of sea level hot test of its Cryogenic engine (CE20) at 22 tonne thrust using nozzle protection system and multi-element igniter. The test was conducted on March 10, 2026, at the ISRO Propulsion Complex in Mahendragiri. ISRO said earlier sea level tests were done using the 19-tonne thrust level.

The CE20 cryogenic engines power the upper cryogenic stage of LVM3 launch vehicles. To enhance the LVM3's payload capability for future missions, the uprated C32 stage with 22 tonne thrust for the CE20 engine is planned to be used.

The present test qualified the sea level testing of the engine with a test duration of 165 seconds. The performance of the engine and the test facility was as expected during the entire test duration," ISRO scientists said in their report.

Due to the high area ratio nozzle, testing the CE20 engine at sea level had many challenges. The concerns included flow separation inside the nozzle, which leads to severe vibrations and thermal problems at the flow separation plane, leading to possible mechanical damage of the nozzle.

Govt. of Karnataka

Office of the Executive Engineer, Panchayath Raj Engineering Division, Vijayapur

Tel.No:08352-277816, Fax.No:08352-277817,
E-Mail:zpebjp9@yahoo.co.in

ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ:ಕಾಇಂ/ಪಂ.ರಾ.ಇ.ವಿ/ವಿಜ/ಇಪ್ರಾ/ಟೆಂಡರ್/2025–26/3936 ದಿನಾಂಕ:09.03.2026

TENDER NOTIFICATION (Two Cover System)

Executive Engineer, PRE Division, Vijayapura has invited e-tender for the works under the Various Grant scheme for the year 2024-25 Work Indent No. RDPR/2025-26/RD/WORK_INDENT24643, 24644, 24641, 24639, 24600, 24598 & 25449) **for General Bidders,** (RDPR/2025-26/RD/WORK_INDENT24642 & 23790) **for SC Bidders,** (RDPR/2025-26/RD/WORK_INDENT24601 & 25448) **for ST Bidders,** (RDPR/2025-26/RD/WORK_INDENT24599 **for Cat-1 Bidders,** (RDPR/2025-26/RD/WORK_INDENT24640) **for CAT-II(A) Bidders**, Rs. 7.00 Lakhs to Rs.100.00 Lakhs Total 13 work vide Tender Publication No.3936 Date: 09.03.2026. Last Date for submission of Tender is 25.03.2026 time 5.30 PM.
For more information about the tender, the information can be collected at the website www.kppp.karnataka.gov.in or visit the office of the said Division during office hours.

Sd/- Executive Engineer, P.R.E. Division, Vijayapur

ವಾಸಾಸಂಇ/ವಿಜಯಪುರ/793/ಕೆಎಸ್ಎಂಸಿಎ/2025–26

KARNATAKA NEERAVARI NIGAMA LIMITED
(A Government of Karnataka Enterprises)
***Office of the* Executive Engineer, KNNL, SLIS, Division No-2, Huvinahadagali, Vijayanagara(Dist)**
Ph.No.08399-200001 e-mail: eeslid2hdl@gmail.com

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION(call-2) (ONLY THROUGH "e-Procurement" SYSTEM)

Reference: 1. This office Tender Notification No: 1890/ 2025-26 Dated: 09.03.2026

Tenders in Electronic mode are invited on behalf of the Managing Director, KNNL, Bengaluru, bythe Executive Engineer, KNNL, SLIS Division No.2, Huvinahadagali for the work of"Repairs to Canals of Right Side of Singataluru Lift Irrigation Scheme for the Year 2025-26"coming under SLIS Project from the eligibleTenderers who are fulfilled the terms and conditionsmentioned as in Tender Notification cited at reference (1) above. The tenders having Work Indent No.KNNL/2025-26/OW/WORK_INDENT4082/Call-2in KPP-Portal and The amount put to tender this work is Rs.423.46 Lakh(Excluding GST) and EMD amount is Rs.6.35 Lakh.

Therefore, The bidders can access the tender in https://kppp.karnataka.gov.inwebsite from 10.03.2026 and the last date of submission for the tender is 20.03.2026 and date of opening of Technical Bid 23.03.2026. A Pre-bid meeting held on 13.03.2026 at 11.00 AM in office of the Office of the Executive Engineer, KNNL, SLIS Division No.2, Huvinahadagali.

Further bidders are hereby by instructed to contact or visit the below mentioned office in working hours regarding Terms and Conditions of the tender and for furthermore information please contact e-procurement Helpdesk Phone Numbers:+91-80-46010000, +91-80-68948777.Conditional tenders are liable to be rejected. The officer competent to accept the tender shall have the right to reject any or all the tenders without assigning any reason whatsoever.

Sd/-Executive Engineer, KNNL, SLIS Division No-2, Huvinahadagali, Vijayanagara (Dist)

DIPR/Vijayanagar/2025-26/KSMCA/RO No/587

HDFC BANK
HDFC BANK

Registered Office at HDFC Bank Limited, HDFC Bank House, Senapati Bapat Marg, Lower Parel (West), Mumbai - 400 013,

AUCTION SALE NOTICE

The borrowers, in particular, and the public, in general, are hereby notified that public auction of gold ornaments/security pledged in the below accounts is proposed to be conducted. The auction is of the gold ornaments/security of borrowers who have defaulted to pay, as per the terms of Loan Agreement signed & accepted by them, despite notices by HDFC Bank Limited (the "Bank") to clear the loan dues. The Bank had also issued a notice to the borrowers whereby, 7 days' time was given to repay the entire outstanding dues in the below accounts, failing which Bank would be at liberty to auction the entire pledged gold security without issuing further notice. The borrowers have neglected and failed to make payment, therefore, Bank in exercise of its rights under the loan agreement as a pledgee has decided to enforce the pledge over gold security by selling the entire gold ornaments/security by way of auction and recover the dues owed by the borrowers to the Bank. The auction will be conducted at the below mentioned branch/s **on 24-03-2026 from 03:30 PM onwards.** In the event the auction of any pledged security cannot be conducted or concluded on the date mentioned, the Bank reserves the right to conduct or proceed with the said auction on any subsequent date and time.

S.No.	Loan No.	Borrower's Name	Loan Amount	Place of Auction (Branch Address)
01.	4000598184	KAUSHIK S REDDY	173000	0041-MALLESHWARAM BANGALORE, HDFC Bank Ltd., No. 47, Margosa Road, Next To Bsnl Office, 15th Cross, Malleshwaram, Bangalore, Karnataka,560003
02.	4000501493	RAJESAB NABISAB NADAF	35100	0254-HUBLI-HUBLI, HDFC Bank Ltd, Mohinder Plaza, CTS No. 441/A6/1 & 441/A/11/B2, , Ward No 1, T.B. Road, Deshpande Nagar, Hubli, Karnataka,580029
03.	75510462	MOSTAFA DEHGHANI	354000	0367-SHESHADRIPURAM-BANGALORE, HDFC Bank Ltd., Meera Sadan, No. 60, 1st Main Road, Seshadripuram, Bangalore, Karnataka, 560020
04.	75192988	SIRAJ G M	34000	0403-DAVANGERE-DAVANGERE, HDFC Bank Ltd., BHM Enclave, No. 651 Mandipet, Davangere, Karnataka, 577001
05.	75754550	H ANIL KUMAR	42600	
06.	75820879	SHREYAS MADHAVA RAO	151000	0446-GANDHI BAZAAR-BANGALORE, HDFC Bank Ltd,119, Gandhi Bazaar, Main Road, Basavanagudi, Bangalore, Karnataka, 560004
07.	76053862	NISHANTH M	170500	0523-RICHMOND RD-BANGALORE, HDFC Bank Ltd, No. 11, Ground Floor, Global Tech Park Building, O Shaughnessy Road, Langford Town, Bangalore India, 560025.
08.	4000492747	ABHISHEK S	135000	
09.	75989324	KAVERIAMMA AIYAPPA	379900	0714-FRASER TOWN-BANGALORE, HDFC Bank Ltd,102, Chawla Regency, Mosque Road, Bangalore, Bangalore, Karnataka,560005
10.	75887596	RAJEEV B	135000	0891-NELAMANGALA, HDFC Bank Ltd,Site.No.904, B H Road, G V Complex, Subhash Nagar, Next To Josco College, Nelamangala, Karnataka,562123
11.	76056283	HARISH KONDA	269900	0972-BIDAR-BIDAR, HDFC Bank Ltd., Ss Arcade, Plot No. 45, Municipal No. 8-10-349, Opp Bus Depot Gate 2, Devi Colony, Bidar , Karnataka, 585401
12.	4000973858	LEELA S	337000	1047-MATHEKERE-BANGALORE, HDFC Bank, No.86, R C Square, HMT Main Road, Next To Bata Showroom, Mathikere, Bangalore, Karnataka,560054
13.	4000480163	VENKATESH KUMAR P	199000	1048-BOMNAHALLI-BANGALORE, HDFC Bank Ltd, Prabhava, Site No. 42 & 44, S D Complex, Garvebhavipallya, Hosur Main Road, Bommanahally, Bangalore, Karnataka,560068
14.	75545188	HASSAN HAMRAZ	3981	1269-MANGLORE-MANGALORE, HDFC Bank Ltd, Kayarmanj M G Road, Ballal Bagh, Mangalore, Karnataka,575003
15.	76084375	AMIT CHAKRABORTY	243500	1472-ITPL MAIN RD-KUNDALHALLI, HDFC Bank Ltd, Survey No. 7/1, Katha No. 418/1, Near Kudalahalli Gate Bemi Layout, Brooke Fields Main Road ITPL Road, Bangalore, Karnataka, 560066
16.	75036630	TAMAL CHATTERJEE	102115	1748-WILSON GARDEN-BANGALORE, HDFC Bank Ltd, No. 195, 10th Cross, Wilson Garden, Bangalore, Karnataka,560027
17.	75174398	AMEEN KHAN	547000	1752-BILEKAHALLI-BANGALORE, HDFC Bank Ltd, Vinyas Towers, No. 41, 100 Feet Ring, Road, Opp. Mandovi Motors, JP Nagar 4th Phase, Bangalore, Karnataka,560078
18.	74774458	R RAMAKRISHNAN	305000	1753-KANAKAPURA RD-BANGALORE, HDFC Bank Ltd, No.10, J.C. Industrial Area, Elechenahalli, Konankunte Cross, Kanakpura Road, Bangalore, Karnataka, 560062
19.	4000981831	VIVEK H S	211000	1754-MAHALAKSHMI LAYOUT, HDFC Bank Ltd, Site No. 73, Shree Lekha Complex, WOC Service Rd, Mahalakshmi Layout, 560086
20.	75161473	B GANESH	77000	1761-HOSPET-HOSPET-PRIME, HDFC Bank Ltd, PVK Complex, Near Ambedkar Jabbal , Circle, College Road, Hospet, Karnataka,583201
21.	4000588404	D SREEKANTH	45000	2011-KENGERI SATTELITE TOWN, HDFC Bank Ltd, No.1104, 1st Main Road, Kengeri Satellite Town, Bangalore, Karnataka, 560060
22.	4001009543	NAJEEB ULLA KHAN	945000	2047-OLD MADRAS RD-BANGALORE, HDFC Bank Ltd, No. 7/3, Opp RMZ Infinity, Next To Gopal Mall, Old Madras Road, Bangalore, Karnataka, 560016
23.	75852827	RAGHAVENDRA VITTHAL GAONKAR	98000	2315-KUMTA-PRIME, HDFC Bank Ltd, Ground Floor, Shanbhag Complex, Opp: Vrl Office, Nellikeri Road, Kumta. Karnataka, 581343
24.	75319802	PHAKKIRAPPA B N	125000	2324-MOODBIDRI-MUDBIDRI, HDFC Bank Ltd, City Light Complex, Iruvail Main Road, Moodbidri, Karnataka, 574227
25.	74740284	ANKIT RAJ	36900	2565-BELLANDUR-BANGALORE, HDFC Bank Ltd, No. 201, Green Glen Layout, Bellandur - ORR Bangalore, Karnataka, 560103
26.	4000591250	CHANDRASHEKAR B N	125200	2709-CHAMRAJPET-BANGALORE, HDFC Bank Ltd, No. 68, Appu Rao Main Road, 6th Main Road, Chamrajpet, Bangalore, Karnataka, 560018
27.	73867397	KAMBEYANDA MOHAN NANAIAH	178204	2779-RAMAMURTHYNAGAR, HDFC Bank Ltd, Opposite Holy Family Church, Ramamurthy Nagar Main Road, Bangalore, Karnataka, 560016
28.	4000716966	MURUGAN V	410000	2815-HENNUR MAIN RD-BANGALORE, HDFC Bank Ltd. No. 487/31/1, Balaji Complex, Hennur Main Road, Opp To D Mart, Kalyan Nagar Post, Bangalore, 560043
29.	4000596934	VARSHA NAIDU	314000	2850-JAYANAGAR-BANGALORE, HDFC Bank Ltd, 48/13, 3rd Main, 40th Cross, 8th Block, Jayanagar, Bangalore, Karnataka, 560082
30.	75409229	BUSANI SIVAKRISHNA	11000	2870-BROOKE FIELDS-BANGALORE, HDFC Bank Ltd, Plot No. 2, New CMC Plot No. 21, Doddankekundi Industrial Area, No. 13, Kiaddb, Brooke Field, Bangalore - 560048.
31.	75222931	VINAY KUMAR YADAV	54000	3637-KADUGODI-BANGALORE, HDFC Bank Ltd, Shop No. 1, Apoorva Sai Kuteera, Apartment, Belathur Hoskote Road, Kadugodi, Whitefield, Bangalore, Karnataka,560067
32.	75584548	JESHI K K	92191	3757-KAGGADASPURA, HDFC Bank Ltd,N0-62, SSB Towers, 1st Cross, Vignana Nagar Main Road, Kaggadaspura, Bangalore, Karnataka,560075
33.	76053521	SIVA KANAGARAJ	90100	
34.	4000345644	RAJAKUMARI GAJENDIRAN	109000	3758-HSR 2 LAYOUT-BANGALORE, HDFC Bank Ltd, No. 665, HSR Layout, Sector 1, 27th Main, Bangalore, Karnataka, 560102
35.	74071460	SHARATH J T	78500	3824-J P NAGAR V PHASE-BANGALORE, HDFC Bank Ltd, BBMP Katha No. 205, 205/1-17/2-3, Sarakki Kere, 24th Main, J P Nagar, Bangalore, Karnataka, 560078
36.	75333734	RUBANRAJ PALANI	30500	3940-BTM LAYOUT 2 - BANGALORE, HDFC Bank Ltd, 14-Old No. 21, BTM Layout 1st Stage, Opp Indian Oil Petrol Bunk, Bangalore, Karnataka, 560029
37.	4001079470	SHIVAKUMAR G N	407800	
38.	73868940	SNEHA N	150000	4178-NAGARBHAVI BANGALORE, HDFC Bank Ltd, No. 13, 80 Feet Road, NGEF Layout, Nagarbhavi, Bangalore, Karnataka, 560072
39.	4000140291	GOPI M	145000	
40.	4000069891	GOPI M	206000	
41.	4000719650	MUKUNDA S	904000	
42.	4000869510	R NITHIN	79500	4198-JIGANI-BANGALORE, HDFC Bank Ltd., # 320, Bomasandra Indusrial Area, Jigani Bangalore., Jigani, Karnataka, 560105
43.	73733058	RAMESH KEMPANNA KHADADI	15400	5640-BAUXITE ROAD, HDFC Bank Ltd, Ground Floor, Survey No. 46/2E, Plot No. 1, CTS No. 998, Azam Nagara Circle, Bauxite Road, Azam Nagara, Belagavi,, Karnataka, 590010
44.	73898245	SUCHITHRA S K	178000	5801-KOGILU CROSS-BANGALORE, HDFC Bank Ltd., Ground Floor, Site No. 2, Shivanaradamuni Arcade, Kogilu Main Road, Bangalore, Karnataka - 560064.
45.	75602650	NAGARAJ BASAVARAJ MORABAD	35600	7366-GANDHI NAGAR-DHARWAD, HDFC Bank Ltd., Ground Floor, Shop No. 1, Ambika Tower, Survey No.17, Plot No. 23, Lakamanhalli Village, Gandhi Nagar Cross, Dharwad, Karnataka - 580009.
46.	75716079	RAMAMURTHY R	88700	9068-SHIVA NAGAR, HDFC Bank Ltd., No. 56 Old No. 28, 1st Main M. Thimmaiah Road, Shiva Nagar, Bangalore, Karnataka, 560010

The auction shall be conducted on an **"AS IS WHERE IS" and the "AS IS WHAT IS"** basis and the Bank is not making and shall not make any representations or warranties as regards the quality, purity, caratage, weight or valuation of the said gold ornaments. It shall be the sole and absolute responsibility of the potential purchasers to verify, examine and satisfy themselves about the quality, purity, caratage, weight or valuation of the said gold ornaments prior to placing their bids and for such purpose it shall be open to potential purchasers to examine, at their sole cost and expense, and at the address set out hereinabove, the gold ornaments whether with or without expert advice 45 minutes prior to the time stipulated for the conduct of the auction. All bids shall be subject to such minimum reserve price as the Bank may deem fit to fix in this regard. The auction value will be based on the closing price of gold as per **IBJA (India Bullion and Jewellers Association Ltd.)** on the previous day. The auction process and the sale (if any) pursuant to such auction shall be subject to such further terms and conditions as the Bank may at its sole discretion deem fit to impose. If the borrower(s) mentioned above pays the amount due to the bank in terms of the Loan agreement in his individual loan account in full before the auction as mentioned above, the pledged ornaments securing the said loan may be withdrawn by the bank from the said auction without any further notice. Please note that it is the absolute discretionary power of the undersigned authorized officer of the Bank, either to postpone or to cancel the auction proceedings without prior notice and without assigning any reason therefore and to reject any or all the bids or offers without assigning any reason for the same

Date : 13-03-2026
Place : Bangalore

Sd/- Authorized Officer
HDFC BANK LTD.

GOVT. TOOL ROOM & TRAINING CENTRE

Rajajinagar Industrial Estate, Bengaluru-560010. Ph: 080-23157189, Fax: 080-23301683, e-Mail:gttc.projects@karnataka.gov.in Website:https://gttc.karnataka.gov.in

No: GTTC/PROJ/CIVIL-ELE/WORKS/BD-160&161/2025-26 Date:12.03.2026

SHORT-TERM e-TENDER NOTIFICATION

Tenders for the following works have been invited through e-procurement by Government Tool Room and Training Centre.

Sl. No.	Bid No.	Centre Name	Name of Work
1	160	Kalaburagi (Phase-II)	Establishment of Multi Skill Development Centre for GTTC (Phase-II) Gulburga University, Kalaburagi.
2	161	Sedam	Establishment of New GTTC at Sedam, Kalaburagi District.

Tender documents are available on the e-portal **from 13.03.2026** and Pre-bid meeting is scheduled **on 23.03.2026.** The last date for submission of tender in the e-portal is **30.03.2026 before 5:30 PM.** For more details, please visit the e-procurement portal **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** or contact the helpline number: **+91 9240214000, +91 9240214001.**

Sd /- Managing Director

BANGALORE DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

T. Chowdaiah Road, Kumara Park West, Bengaluru - 560 020

No.: BDA/EE-NPKL/work_TN-1024/2025-26 Date: 12.03.2026

NOTICE INVITING SHORT-TERM TENDER

(Item Rate Tender under Two Cover System)
(Through GoK e-Procurement platform https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in)

On behalf of the Commissioner, BDA, Bengaluru, The Executive Engineer, NPKL Division, BDA, Bengaluru invites e Tenders from eligible Tenderers for the work of **Comprehensive Development Works for Construction of Drains and Culverts in Balance Portion of Banashankari 6th State, 7th Block from Link Road to CA-1 (Area proposed land for Bescom) Up to Park-1 surrounding area of BDA Layout.** Indent No. BDA/2025-26/RD/WORK_INDENT178-Call-2. Approx cost put to tender: **Rs. 956.98 lakhs.** EMD: **Rs. 14,36,000/-** (Rs. 1,00,000/- through e payment and Rs. 13,36,000/- through Bank Guarantee). Last date for receipt of Tenders: **24.03.2026.** For further details kindly log on to **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** or contact e-procurement helpline 080-25501216 / 25501217.

Helpline / Watsup: 9483166622 (24x7) @BDAOfficialGok

Sd/- Executive Engineer, NKPL Division, BDA, Bengaluru

PUBLIC NOTICE

The General public are hereby notified that, our clients have agreed to purchase the Schedule Property from its owner **Ms.PRIYANKA. L (PRIYANKA LAKSHMAN)** D/o Mr.Lakshman, residing at No.548, 2nd Stage, West of Chord Road, Mahalakshmipuram, Bengaluru-560086 **[Aadhaar No.6115 6333 6482].**

The Owner represents that, she has misplaced/lost the original Absolute Sale Deed dated 17/04/2021 executed by Sri.Sombegowda and others represented by their GPA holder Sri.Kariyappa in favour of Ms.Priyanka.L, registered as document No.KNK-1-00689-2021-22, in the Office of the Sub-Registrar, Kanakapura and to that effect she has lodged a police complaint on 12/03/2026 vide Lost Report No.2105209/2026, with the Bengaluru City Police. Further the Owner represents that she has not deposited or otherwise handed over the said document to any person/s or Bank or institution and that the Owner has a freehold subsisting marketable title to the Schedule Property.

Apart from the said Owner, if any person has any manner of claim, right, title, interest or demand of any nature in or over the Schedule Property or any person/s having custody of the said original document, they are hereby called upon to file their objections along with the photocopies of the documents on which they are relying, with the undersigned within **14 (fourteen) days** from the date of publication of this notice. Objection/s received thereafter will not be binding on our clients.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the agricultural land measuring 5 Acres and 18 Guntas of Kharab bearing Sy.No.36, situated at Kattarinatha Village, Maralavadi Hobli, Harohalli Taluk (formerly Kanakapura Taluk), Bengaluru South District (formerly Ramanagar District) and bounded as follows :

East by : Land bearing Sy.No.34 & 35
West by : Land bearing Sy.No.96 of Yalachavadi Village
North by : Land bearing Sy.No.12 & 32
South by : Road and Land bearing Sy.No.88 of Yalachavadi Village

Sd/- AJAY KUMAR.N
For ISHA LAW CHAMBERS LLP
Advocates & Solicitors
No.101, 2nd Floor, Sri Manjunatha Complex, BSK 2nd Stage, Opp : Banashankari BDA Complex, Bengaluru-560070.

BENGALURU WEST CITY CORPORATION

Office of the Executive Engineer Traffic Engineer Cell 2 BWCC, 19th main road Rajajinagar 2nd Block Bengaluru.-560010.

No.EE/TEC(Z-2)/TEND/05/2025-26 Date: 12.03.2026

INVITATION FOR TENDER (IFT)

Tender Notification (Two Cover System) (Through GOK KPPPortal only)

The Executive Engineer- Traffic engineering Cell Division invites tenders on behalf of the Chief Commissioner, GBA, Bangalore from eligible Tenderers for the work detailed in the table below. The tenderers may submit tenders for works given in the table through KPP portal of the Government of Karnataka **(viz https://Kppp.karnataka.gov.in).** The tenderers are advised to note the minimum qualification criteria specified in Clause 3 of the Instructions to Tenderers to qualify for award of the contract. Other details can be seen in the tender document.

Sl. No.	Name of the work/Minimum Reserve Annual License fee/ EMD amount in Rs/Period of Service
1	Collection of Parking Fees for HMT Main road. Triveni main road, 17th cross road Tharasu Road. in Malleshwaram. Minimum Reserve Annual License fee : **Rs. 1,05,00,000**, EMD : **Rs. 2,10,000/-.** Period of Tender : **3 year + 2 years of Extension**

Calendar of Events:-
1. Last Date & Time for Tender Queries : **16-03-2026 up to 3.00 pm.** **2.** Pre bid Meeting on **: 23-03-2026 at 3.30 Pm** in TEC Division, 19th main road Rajajinagar 2nd Block Bengaluru 560010. **3.** Last Date for Receipt of Tender is **: 25-03-2026 up to 4.00 pm. 4.** Date of opening of Technical Bid is : **27-03-2026 by 4.30 pm. 5.** Date of opening of financial Bid after approval of Technical bid **: 30-03-2026 (If possible)**

Sd/- Executive Engineer, TEC Zone-2 BWCC

PUBLIC NOTICE

My client is intending to purchase the agricultural immovable property bearing Old Sy No. 128, Later Sy No. 128/4, New Sy No.128/6, situated at Krishnapura Village, Vemgal Hobli, Kolar Taluk, measuring 1 (One) acre and bounded by: On the East:Property belonging to Subbamma, On the West: Property Belonging to Narayanaswamy, On the North : Road and On the South : Property belonging to Byrappa from its owners Sri. Lakshmipathi.B and Smt. T.S. Veda.

Any person having any objections or claiming any right, title or interest in the said property are required to lodge the same with the undersigned along with documentary evidence within 15 days from this date failing which my client shall proceed with the transactions of the said property free from all encumbrances.

SUDHA.T.C., B.A.L, LLB., Advocate,
Flat No. B-218, 1st Floor, Wilson Vintage Apt, No.24, 12th Cross, Opp Adugodi P.O, Wilson Garden, Bangalore-560 027.
Phone: 080-22220707/ 9880080528

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform that, my Client Mr. AYYAPAN G, resident at No.42, Rajgopal Garden, Bengaluru-560002., He had lost his Previous original Gift Deed and other documents pertaining to his immovable property i.e. House Property bearing earlier No.6, old No.43and present Katha No.6/43, PID No.61/13/43, measuring 20x32 feet, totally measuring 640 Sq. Feet, situated at Patel Nanje Gowda Street, Doddamavalli Village, Bengaluru - 560 004,and bounded on East By : House Property belongs to Sri. Subramani, West By : Property No.5, North By : Remaining Property belong to Ajaz Basha, South By : Modalappa Street, presently comes under BBMP, The said Gift Deed Document No.CMP-1-00389-2010-11, Book No.1, stored in C.D No.CMPD18 registered in the office of Senior Sub Registrar, Chamarajapete, Bengaluru. The said documents were lost on 08.03.2026 timing 10:00 AM to 10:30 AM, While going to the BBMP office to get the Khata, it got lost near Kalasipalya. I had filed e-Lost Complaint, the Lost Report No.2101758/2026, dated 10.03.2026. If anybody secure the same kindly intimate to the above said address.

PUTTABYREGOWDA .A.B, Advocate
No.22, 2nd Floor, Papanna Building, Opp: Sub-Registrar's Office, Begur, Bangalore-560114. Mob: 9663434646, Email id: advocatepbg@gmail.com

PUBLIC NOTICE

The general public at large are hereby notified that our Clients have negotiated for purchase of the Schedule Property described hereunder from its owners **Shree Raghavendra Buildings LLP,** and our Clients intend to conclude the said transaction. As such any person(s) having any claim whatsoever over the Schedule Property are hereby called upon to file their objections, claims, if any, alongwith supporting documents to the below mentioned address within **15 (fifteen) days** from the date of this notice. If no objections/ claims are received within the said period, our Clients shall proceed as bonafide purchasers to conclude the sale transaction by paying the entire sale consideration amount and getting the sale deed registered in their favour.

SCHEDULE

All that piece & parcel of property bearing **Municipal No. 6 (BDA Site No. 792, Later Municipal No. 792/6),** situated at **35th Cross Road, 4th Block, Jayanagar, Bangalore,** within the limits & administration of Greater Bangalore Authority, earlier BBMP Ward No. 168-Pattabhiramanagar, PID No. 60-122-6, **New EPID No. 9821598868,** measuring East to West: **40 ft.** & North to South: **60 ft.,** along with unfinished building consisting of stilt, ground, first, second & third floors, bounded on the **: East: Site bearing BDA No. 793, West: Site bearing BDA No. 791, North: Site bearing BDA No. 789 & South: Road**

(G.S.Prasanna Kumar)
LINC AND CO.,
Advocates
#9, 2nd main, Srikantan Layout, Crescent Road, High Grounds Bengaluru-560001 Ph.9844278671
Mail Id : lincandco@gmail.com

IN THE COURT OF THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER, BANGALORE NORTH AT BENGALURU

MSC CR NO-161/2025

BETWEEN: SMT.RATHNAMMA ...APPLICANT

AND: SMT.MANJULA ... RESPONDENTS

1. SMT.D. MANJULA, D/o Smt.Ratnamma, Aged about 43 years, R/a Hittarahalli, Near BMTC Bus Stop, Andarahalli, Bhoodigere post, Bengaluru rural -562129. **...RESPONDENT**

PUBLIC NOTICE

Whereas the Applicant above named submit that the above petition filed for cancellation of the Registered Gift Deed executed in the name of the Respondent vide dated 09.03.2018 bearing Document No. KRI-1-10831-2017-18 stored in CD No.KRID616 of Book-1 registered before the Office of the Sub Registrar, KR Pura, Bangalore. It is brought to the public notice that below mentioned person arrayed as the Respondent has any some right or claim, she may appear in person or through a pleader on **24-03-2026** at 11:00 A.M in the Court of The Assistant Commissioner Bangalore North Sub-Division, failing which the matter will be heard and determined according to law.

Given under my hand and the seal of the court on 27-02-2026.

By order of the court, Assistant Commissioner, Bangalore North Sub Dvn, Bangalore.

Sri. SURESH BABU RAJ .D, Advocate
SURESH LAW ASSOCIATES,
No.3/2, 1st Floor, No.135, SRCC Complex, Vivekananda road, Near Ulsoor Metro Station, Ulsoor, Bangalore-56008.

UJVN LIMITED

H.O.: "UJJWAL", Maharani Bagh, G.M.S. Road, Dehradun-248006
Telephones: 0135-2763808, Fax: 0135-2763508
CIN No. U40101UR2001SGC025866 Website: www.ujvnl.com

Letter No: 210 **Date Extension Notice-02** Date: 12/03/2026

Due to unavoidable circumstances, due dates in respect of online Bid Identification Nos.: **(i)**T-04/EE(Solar)/2025-26 **(ii)** T-05/EE(Solar)/2025-26 **(iii)** T-06/EE(Solar)/2025-26 & **(iv)** T-07/EE(Solar)/2025-26 are as follows:

Last Date /Time of Receipt of bid on the portal: 20-03-2026 upto 16:00 Hrs.

Last Date /Time of submission of bid in Office : 23-03-2026 upto 12:00 Hrs.

Date of opening of the bid on website :23-03-2026 from 13:00 Hrs.

All other details and terms & condition shall remain same. Detail of subsequent addendum/corrigendum/cancelation etc. may be obtained from the website.

Further details can be seen from the e-procurement portal **https://uktenders.gov.in** **Executive Engineer (Solar)**

"AVOID WASTEFUL USE OF ELECTRICITY"

PUBLIC NOTICE

Our client is desirous of acquiring all that piece and parcel of vacant residential properties bearing (a) BDA Site No. 5551 and (b) BDA Site No. 5566, both situated at 5th Block, 'P' Sector, Nadaprabhu Kempegowda Layout (formed in Survey Nos. 4 and 5 of K.Krishnasagara Village), Bengaluru more fully set out in the schedule below and hereinafter referred to as the **"Schedule Property"**, from its present owner, Nikhil Prabhat Amashi son of Prabhat Amashi No. 47, 1st Cross, 9th Main, H.A.L, III Stage, Bangalore 560075.

Any person or persons asserting any rights, title, interest or claim in the Schedule Property or any part thereof in any manner or having any claim against the Schedule Property or the documents thereof or against the owners or objecting to such transaction in favour of our clients should write to the undersigned within fifteen **(15) days** of the issuance of this Public Notice with all documentary proof on which they are basing and asserting their rights with regards to the Schedule Property or any part thereof, after which period my client shall proceed on the basis that there are no claims of whatsoever nature with regards to the Schedule Property.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of vacant residential properties bearing (a) BDA Site No. 5551 and (b) Site No. 5566 both situated at 5th Block, 'P' Sector, Nadaprabhu Kempegowda Layout (formed in Survey Nos. 4 and 5 of K.Krishnasagara Village), Bengaluru, and both measuring East to West 24 metres; North to South 15 metres and in all measuring about 360 square metres and both the sites are bounded as follows:-

Site Nos.	East	West	North	South
5551	Road	Site No. 5566	Site No. 5552	Site No. 5550
5566	Site No. 5551	Road	Site No. 5565	Site No. 5567

Sd/- (R.Sunitha), Advocate, CMS INDUSLAW
101, First Floor "Embassy Classic" No.11, Vittal Mallya Road, Bangalore-560001. **Ph: 080-40726600**

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given to the public at large that my client intends to purchase an immovable property as described in **SCHEDULE** from the present owners **(1) Mr. Syed Gaffar Shah** and **(2) Sri. Syed Iliyas Sha** both sons of Syed Munawar Shah Residing at: Medimallsandra Village, Anugondanahalli Hobli, Hosakote Taluk, Bengaluru Rural District – 560 067. The above said land owners represented that they are an absolute owners of the respective properties mentioned in the schedule below and they have not entered into any agreement of sale/ Development Agreement/ Memorandum of Understandings or any sort of arrangement with any persons and further represent that they have not encumbered, mortgaged or created any lien on the properties mentioned in the schedule below in any manner and apart from them there are no other person/s, firm or company having any sort of right, title, interest or claim over the properties mentioned in the schedule.

Any person/s asserting any charge, lien, right, title, agreement, interest or claim on the properties mentioned in the schedule or any part thereof in any manner or having any claim against the properties mentioned in the schedule below or the documents thereof or against the owners or objection to such sale in favour of my client should lodge his/her/their/its objections or claims with supporting documents to the undersigned within **10 (TEN) days** of the issuance of this public notice, after that my client shall proceed with the purchase of the properties mentioned in the schedule on the basis that there are no claims of whatsoever nature with regards to the properties mentioned in the schedule below.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of agriculture lands, situated **at Medimallsandra Village, Anugondanahalli Hobli, Hosakote Taluk, Bengaluru Rural District,** as detailed herein below:

Sl. No.	Survey Nos.	Extent Acre Guntas	Boundaries East by	West by	North by	South by
1.	98/2	1 Acre 22 Guntas	Road	Land in Survey No.98/8	Land in Survey No.98/10	Land in Survey No. 98/ 1 & 98/4
2.	98/4	01 Acre 32 Guntas	Land in Survey No.98/1	Land in Survey No.99	Land in Survey No.98/2	Arehalli Road

DHIRENDRA N. KATTI,
Kannur & Katti Legal, Advocates
No. 4, 14th Cross, Vyalikaval, Bangalore-560003.
Phone : 9845397583, E-mail: kattidhirendra@gmail.com
Place : Bangalore Date : 13-03-2026

SYMBOLIC POSSESSION NOTICE

ICICI Bank Branch Office: ICICI Bank Ltd. 4/10, Mythree Tower, Bommanhalli Hosur Main Road Bangalore- 560068

The Authorised ICICI Bank Officer under the Securitisation, Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued Demand Notices to the borrower(s) mentioned below, to repay the amount mentioned in the Notice within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said Notice.

Having failed to repay the amount, the Notice is issued to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken symbolic possession of the property described below, by exercising powers conferred on him/her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said rules on the below-mentioned dates. The borrower in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property. Any dealings with the property will be subject to charges of ICICI Bank Limited.

Sr. No.	Name of the Borrower(s)/ Loan Account Number	Description of Property/ Date of Symbolic Possession	Date of Demand Notice/ Amount in Demand Notice (Rs)	Name of Branch
1.	Appu/ LBHYD00007450230 / TBHYD00007446021	All That Part And Parcel of The Semi-Finished Residential Flat Bearing No.502, In Fifth Floor, In "M.Y.J. Arcade", Having A Plinth Area of 1440 Sft., (Including Common Areas And Balconies) And One Car Parking Area In Stilt Floor, Together With A Proportionate Undivided Share And Interest In The Land Admeasuring An Area of 60 Sq. Yards or Its Equivalent To 50.16 Sq. Metres, out of The Total Extent of Land Admeasuring 608.11 Sq. Yards or Its Equivalent To 508.44 Sq. Metres, Constructed on Northern Portion of Open Land, In Survey No.203/A, Situated At Bagh Hayatnagar Village, Hayatnagar Revenue Mandal, Ranga Reddy District, Under Ward No.4, Block No.9 of Ghmc, Hayatnagar Circle, Under Registration Sub District Hayathnagar And Bounded By: Boundaries For Entire Land: North: 30 Ft. Wide Road. South: South Portion of Open Land, In Sy. No.203/a. East: Neighbours House No.4-9-6/4 West: Land In Sy. No.203/A And Neighbours Land. Boundaries For Flat No.502, In Fifth Floor: North: Corridor And Staircase. South: Open To Sky. East: Open To Sky. West: Open To Sky./ Date of Symbolic Possession on/ 10/03/2026.	29/11/2025 Rs. 75,73,293.82/-	Hyderabad

The above-mentioned borrowers(s)/guarantors(s) is/are hereby issued a 30 day Notice to repay the amount, else the mortgaged properties will be sold after 30 days from the date of publishing this Notice, as per the provisions under Rules 8 and 9 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002.

Date: March 13, 2026
Place: Bangalore

Sincerely Authorised Officer
For ICICI Bank Ltd.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to the public at large that M/s. DAYARTHINI, ANAND KADIRAPPA & SHUBHACHARITA. Legal heirs of Dr. K Kadrippa, R/o. No.26/1 12, 3rd Cross Road, Anjaneya Temple, Yediyur, Bangalore- 560 028, (hereinafter referred to as the "Owners"), have agreed to sell the immovable property more fully described in the Schedule below, to our client.

Any person or entity having any claim, right, title, interest or objection whatsoever in respect of the said property or any part thereof, whether by way of sale, gift, lease, inheritance, exchange, mortgage, charge, lien, trust, possession, easement, attachment or otherwise, is hereby required to make the same known in writing along with all relevant documentary proof to the undersigned within **15 (fifteen) days** from the date of this publication. Failure to respond within the stipulated period shall result in the completion of the said transaction, and any such claims, if any, shall be deemed to have been waived and shall not be entertained thereafter.

"SCHEDULE PROPERTY"

All that piece and parcel of the property bearing a Shed in Sy. No.60/4, (New EPID No.4522149720) situated at Yediyur Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore, measuring East to West 100 feet, North to South 50 feet in all 5000 Sq.ft or 464.5 sq.mtrs and bounded as follows:

East by : Land of the same Sy. No.60/4
West by : Road
North by : Land of the same Sy. No.60
South by : Corporation Property

M. Jagadeesh
Tapas Law, Advocates
204, A Wing, Blue Cross Chambers, 2nd Floor No.11, Infantry Road Cross, Bangalore-560 001 Ph: 98455 20455
Place: Bangalore Date:13/03/2026

WEST CENTRAL RAILWAY

OPEN TENDER
SIGNAL & TELECOMMUNICATION BRANCH

Invitation of E-tender on behalf of the president of India acting through Sr. Divisional Engineer Signal & Telecom (Co-Ordination), West Central Railway, Jabalpur for the following works: - **NIT No. :** JBP-N-Tele-TENDER-2026-5, **Name of work with location :** (1) PRS Modernization of Jabalpur division. (2) Augmentation and Upgradation of facilities at PCSTE conference hall and Zonal Disaster room at HQ/WCR, **Approx cost of the work :** Rs.53151640.58, **Cost of tender form (In Rs.) :** Rs. Nil, **Address of the office of railway :** DRM(S&T)' s Office, 1st Floor, DRM Building, Jabalpur, **Earnest money (In Rs.) :** Rs.415800/-, **Completion period (In months) :** 09 months, **Date & Time for closing & opening of tender :** Closing on 08.04.2026 & 15.00 Hrs on opening after 15:00 hours The complete information of the above 'e-tender' is available on website "https://ireps.gov.in" and also placed on notice board of the Divisional Railway Manager (S&T) Office, West Central Railway, Jabalpur. Tenders other than in the form of e-bids shall not be accepted against above tender.

Sd./-
For DRM(S&T)
West Central Railway, Jabalpur

स्वच्छ भारत अभियान
एक कदम स्वच्छता की ओर

PUBLIC NOTICE

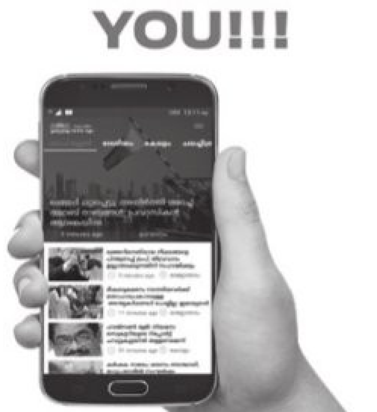
My clients **M/s. DIAMOND DISPLAY SOLUTIONS PVT LTD,** Having its Registered Office at No.8, 2nd Floor, Of Rear Side Building, Byanna Industrial Garden, Near Ramamurthy Nagar Police Station, Vijinapura Extension, Dooravani Nagar Post, Bangalore- 560 016 by its Managing Director Mr. RAJAGOPAL GOKUL VENKATESH is willing to purchase an immovable property which mentioned in the schedule hereunder for a valuable consideration form its owners **Mrs. THASEEN KAUSER KHAN,** Wife of Mr. Feroz Khan and **Mr. FEROZ KHAN,** Son of Late Rasheed Khan, both are residing at No.22, 4th Floor, Palm Height, 6th Cross, Vijaya Bank Colony, Outer Ring Road, Banaswadi, Bangalore-560 043. Any person having any type of claim, right, interest or title over the same may kindly contact and lodge the same with documentary proof to the undersigned within **SEVEN days** of this publication. Failing which my clients will proceed to complete the sale transaction.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the immovable property being residential cum commercial building bearing Municipal Corporation No.22, PID No.88-237-22, (Earlier bearing **Site Nos.16 & 17** in House List Khatha No.290, carved out of converted land bearing Survey No.114/1 of Horamavu Village, K.R.Puram, Bangalore East Taluk, presently under the administrative jurisdiction of BBMP/GBA converted vide Order bearing reference No.ALN.SR.1410, dated 15.06.1967, issued by the Tahsildar, Bangalore South Taluk), situated at **6th Cross Road, Vijaya Bank Colony, Banasawadi,** Corporation New Ward No.27, Old Ward No.88, Bangalore, measuring East to West 60 feet and North to South 40 feet, totally measuring 2400 Sq.feet land area, along with RCC roofed, residential building constructed thereon consisting of basement, Ground, First, Second, Third and duplex type Fourth and Fifth Floor, in the multi-storied building known as **"PALMS HEIGHT"**, and basement floor for parking, Ground having a plinth area of 1600 Square and First, Second and Third being commercial premises each having a plinth area of 1800 Square feet and duplex type Fourth and Fifth Floor being a residential premises having a plinth area of 1800 Square feet together totally measuring 8800 Sq.feet of super built-up area. It has R.C.C. roofing, brick and mud walls with cement plaster, vitrified flooring, moulded doors with aluminum sliding window shelters and having basic amenities in together with Vitrified tiles flooring, along with Electricity Connection, Water Connection, all civic amenities and bounded on the :

EAST BY : Road; WEST BY : Private Property; NORTH BY : Site bearing Nos.24 & 25; (H.L. Khatha No.290), belonging to Mrs.G.Vinutha; SOUTH BY : Road.

Sri.S.M.Raju & Associates,
Advocates & Consultants,
No.51, 5th Main Road, B.Channasandra, Kalyana Nagar post, Bangalore-560043, Mobile No.9845867078

THE NEW INDIAN EXPRESS GROUP
TOUCH THE STORY. IT WILL TOUCH YOU!!!

samakalikamalayalam.com
Minute by Minute News updates in Malayalam
GET IT ON Google Play

PUBLIC NOTICE

My client, **Sri. N. M. Thulasi Ram S/o. Late N. C. Muni Reddy,** residing at No. **12, 3rd Main, behind Government School, Dodda Nekkundi, Bengaluru -560 037,** had acquired the **Schedule Property,** by means of an **Absolute Deed of Sale dated 13.08.2012, Regd. Doc. No. KRI-1-04716/2012-13 of Book I & stored in CD. No. KRID 450** registered at **Senior Sub-registrar, Krishnarajapura, Bengaluru,** executed by **Sri. S. K. Rama Krishna S/o. Late Krishnamurthy.** One of the prior original title-deed of the **Schedule Property** ie., **Absolute Deed of Sale dated 22.06.1988,** executed by **Sri. K. Gopala Reddy S/o. Sri. K. Krishnappa** GPA Holder for **Smt. Chikkatayamma, Sri. Nagaraja Reddy, Sri. Chandra Reddy, Sri. Raja Reddy and Sri. Venkatesh Reddy, Regd. Doc. No. 3884/1988-89 at pages 199-203, Vol. 2869 of Book I** registered at **Sub-registrar, Bengaluru South Taluk, on 13.09.1988** and **original General Power of Attorney dated 10.03.1988** executed by **Smt. Chikkathayamma, Sri. Nagaraja Reddy, Sri. Chandra Reddy, Sri. Raja Reddy and Sri. Venkatesh Reddy** in favour of **Sri. K. Gopala Reddy S/o. Sri. K. Krishnappa** were misplaced and not traceable for a long time even after considerable search; hence deemed to be lost irretrievably as confirmed by **Sri. N. M. Thulasi Ram** and further he confirms that, he had not created any charge or encumbrance on the said property by depositing the said original title deed with any individual/s or any Institution/s or Bank/s nor entered into any agreement of sale or any other mode of conveyance nor passed on the original title deed to any third party or having any kind of litigation.

If any one comes across or traces the said document or otherwise in possession of the same, it may kindly be handed over to me or my client forthwith, as he intend to sell the **SCHEDULE PROPERTY.**

If anyone has any valid and legally subsisting /sustainable claims / objections over the **SCHEDULE PROPERTY,** the same may be lodged with the undersigned in writing, within **15 (Fifteen) days from the date of this notice along with supporting documents** and if no such claims or objections are received, he shall proceed to sell the **SCHEDULE PROPERTY** and no claims or objections will be entertained thereafter and it will not be binding on the **SCHEDULE PROPERTY** or my client.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the immovable property being **residential Sites bearing Site Nos. 16 and 25,** formed in residential converted lands in **Sy. No. 113/1, Khatha No. 368,** situated at **Horamavu Village, Krishnarajapura Hobli, erstwhile Bengaluru South Taluk, now Bengaluru East Taluk (vide Conversion Certificate bearing No. ALN.SR.585/1969-70, dated 09.01.1971,** issued by the **Tahsildar, Bengaluru South Taluk, Bengaluru),** comes under the jurisdiction of **Bruhath Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike (BBMP) Ward No. 27-Banaswadi (Old BBMP Ward No. 88-Banaswadi), 5th Cross Road, Vijaya Bank Colony, Banaswadi, Bengaluru,** having **New Municipal No. 368,** having **BBMP PID No. 88-176-368,** now having **New Property E.P.I.D No. 4362260475,** now coming under **East Zone of the Greater Bengaluru Authority (GBA),** measuring **East to West 80 ft., and North to South 40 ft.,** totally measuring **3,200 sq. ft.,** and bounded on the: East by : 6th cross Road, West by : 5th cross Road, North by : 1st Main Road and South by : Sites Nos. 17 and 24.

VIJAYAKUMAR V, ADVOCATE
No. G-7, Brigade Links, 1st Main Road, Seshadripuram, Bengaluru – 560 020. Mobile No. 9845429478
e-mail: vijay_advocatebangalore@yahoo.com
Place: Bengaluru
Date : 13.03.2026

Karnataka State Road Transport Corporation

"Transport House" Central Offices, K.H Road, Shanthinagar, Bengaluru - 560027. Tel No: 080-22221321
e.mail: trafficcom@ksrtc.org

No. KSRTC/2025-26/SE2513 Date: 12.03.2026

NOTICE INVITING TENDER

Tenders are invited through e-portal for the selection of Transaction Advisor for "Implementation of Smart Ticketing System for four STUs of Karnataka".

1. Calendar of events: **a)** Last date for submission of Pre-bid Queries **17-03-2026 17:00 hours. b)** Pre-Bid meeting **18-03-2026 11:00 hours c)** Last date for submission of Bids in e-portal **: 30-03-2026 17:00 hours. d)** Opening of Technical Bid **: 02-04-2026 11:00 hours. e)** Opening of Financial Bid (Tentative) **: 09-04-2026 11:00 hours.**

2. The Financial Bids of the Bidders, those who have qualified in Technical Bid will only be opened.

3. The RFP Documents along with Terms & Conditions, Eligibility Criteria and other Technical detail can be downloaded from the e-portal website: **:https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in**

4. Earnest Money Deposit (EMD): Bidder has to pay **Rs.25,00,000/-** (Rupees Twenty Five lakh only) through e-portal by e-payment.

5. KSRTC reserves the right to accept or reject tender without assigning any reason thereof.

Sd/-
Chief Traffic Manager (Commercial)
KSRTC, Central Offices, Bengaluru-27

DIPR/CP/6208/Zen/2025-26

TAMIL NADU MEDICAL SERVICES CORPORATION LTD.

(A GOVERNMENT OF TAMILNADU UNDERTAKING)
No.417, Pantheon Road, Egmore, Chennai-600008.Phone:28191890/28190259; Fax: 044 -28190636

Tender Notice

Sl.No	Online Tender no with qty./ Document Cost	Sale Period	Pre bid	Submission	Opening
1	E1531/FUR/RC/TNMSC/ENGG/2026, Dt:12.03.2026 – Hydraulic Hand Pallet Trolleys (18) & Semi Electric battery Operated Stacker (6) – Rs.2,290/-	13.03.2026 to 01.04.2026	20.03.2026 11.00 AM	02.04.2026 11.00 AM	02.04.2026 12.00 Noon
2	E1532/RTF/TNMSC/ENGG/2026, Dt:12.03.2026 – Retrofit DR (4) – Rs.5,725/-	16.03.2026 to 01.04.2026	23.03.2026 11.00 AM	02.04.2026 11.00 AM	02.04.2026 12.00 Noon
3	E1533/PACS/DME-ICH/TNMSC/ENGG/2026, Dt:12.03.2026 – PACS System (1) – Rs.5,725/-	16.03.2026 to 01.04.2026	23.03.2026 11.30 AM	02.04.2026 11.00 AM	02.04.2026 12.00 Noon
4	E1534/WMC/NHM/RC/TNMSC/ENGG/2026, Dt:12.03.2026 – Various type of Washing Machine – Rs.5,725/-	16.03.2026 to 01.04.2026	23.03.2026 12.00 Noon	02.04.2026 11.00 AM	02.04.2026 12.00 Noon
5	E1535/HB/NHM/RC/TNMSC/ENGG/2026, Dt:12.03.2026 – Digital Hemoglobinometer Cuvettes (12000) – Rs.5,725/-	16.03.2026 to 01.04.2026	23.03.2026 12.30 PM	02.04.2026 11.00 AM	02.04.2026 12.00 Noon
6	E1536/NBS/NHM/TNMSC/ENGG/2026, Dt:12.03.2026 – Comprehensive New Born Screening (NBS) under PPP Mode – Rs.5,725/-	17.03.2026 to 06.04.2026	24.03.2026 11.00 AM	07.04.2026 11.00 AM	07.04.2026 12.00 Noon
7	E1536/Teleradiology/RC/TNMSC/ENGG/2026, Dt:12.03.2026 – Fixing rate contract for Teleradiology services – Rs.5,725/-	18.03.2026 to 07.04.2026	25.03.2026 11.00 AM	08.04.2026 11.00 AM	08.04.2026 12.00 Noon

For details visit **www.tntenders.gov.in** and TNMSC website **www.tnmsc.tn.gov.in**
DIPR/1746/Tender/2026 **GENERAL MANAGER (EQUIPMENT)**

PUBLIC NOTICE

The General public are hereby notified that my client **Sri. DINESH NASA,** S/o late P.L.vNasa, residing at Flat No.C-5, GM Infinite Silver Corner Apartments, Ganesha Block, Sultanpalya, Bangalore - 560032, currently residing at Flat No. 173, DDA-SFS Flats, Punjabi Bagh Apartments, Rohtak Main Road, Near Madipur Metro Station, New Delhi 110063, has lost/misplaced the original **Sale Deed dated 21/01/2008, regd. as document No.DBP-1-07289-2007-08,** executed by M/s.Bangalore Regency Developers (Pvt) Ltd. with respect to all that piece and parcel of the Site bearing No.168, carved out of land bearing Sy.No.50, measuring on the East 57.87 ft, on the West 57.81 ft, on the North 60.69 ft and on the South 60.83 ft, admeasuring 3492 Sq.ft, situated at Oodanahalli Village, Toobagere Hobli, Doddabalapur Taluk, Bangalore District.

My client has lodged a Police complaint with the Bengaluru City Police on 12/03/2026, with respect to loss/misplacement of the above said Original Deed. If anyone is holding or otherwise finds the said original Deed, he/she is hereby requested to hand over the same to the undersigned and he/she will be rewarded appropriately.

Sd/- DARSHA SETHIA
Advocate
GOUTAM ASSOCIATES
No.60, 2nd Floor, Kanakapura Road, Basavanagudi, Bengaluru – 560 004

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the General Public that My client, **Mr.VISHWANATH N,** Aged about 74 years, S/o. Mr.T.L.Nanjundaiah, Residing at: No.13A/2, S.G.Layout, 1st Cross, Kodigehalli Main Road, Sahakara Nagara, Bangalore-560092. do hereby inform to the general public that he has lost the original Sale deed (1) which was executed by Mr.G.V.Venkateswarlu, S/o. Late.G.Narasimhulu, in favour of the Mrs.C.S.Deepa, D/o. Mr.M.Krishna Murthy, which was registered as **Document No.ANK-1-16806-2003-04, Stored in CD No.ANKD4, dated 30.03.2004** and **Sale Deed (2)** executed by Mrs.C.S.Deepa, D/o. Mr.M.Krishna Murthy, in favour of the Mr.P.Sashikumar, S/o. Late Pasupathi, which was registered as **Document No.ANK-1-04648-2004-05, Stored in CD No.ANKD32, dated 16.06.2004,** registered at the office of the Sub Registrar, Anekal, Bangalore Urban District. In respect of the Residential property bearing **Site No.17, Katha No.1118/17, formed in Survey No.461/1, 461/2, 461/3, 461/4, 461/5, 462/1, 462/2, 462/3, 468 & 469, situated at Marasur Village, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District,** which is converted from agricultural to non agricultural residential purpose vide Conversion **Order No.ALN.SR(AK) 56&59/ 1996-97, dated 25.07.1997** order passed by the Assistant Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore and the layout plan sanctioned by Bangalore Metropolitan Region Development Authority vide letter **No.BMRDA/LAO/26/1998-99, dated 23.10.2003. measuring East to West 40 feet and North to South 30 feet.** In this regard he had lodged a Police complaint No. 2102750/2026, dated 10.03.2026 If any person/s finds the same please hand over the same within 10 days of this notice, to the above advocate Office address or contact number

N. SOMASHEKHAR, Advocate,
M/s. Sri Sai Law Associates,
No. 67/3, Benaka Complex, Hennagara Gate, Bommasandra, Bangalore-99, Karnataka. Mobile : 9448236908
Email: sailawassociates997@gmail.com
Date: 13.03.2026 Place: Bangalore

BEFORE THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-II, AT BENGALURU

BSNL Building, 4th Floor, Telephone House, Rajbhavan Road, Bengaluru-560001

IN THE MATTER OF
CASE No. O.A.NO. 12/2024

Between:
IDBI BANK LIMITED
Retail Recovery-RBG
No. 58, IDBI House
Mission Road, Bangalore - 560 027
...Applicant

And
(1) Sri Pushkar Bahri And Others
...Defendants

SUMMONS ISSUED UNDER RULE 23(VIII) OF THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL (PROCEDURE) RULES 1993 TO THE DEFENDANTS

Whereas the Applicant has instituted an application under section 19 of the Recovery of Debts Due to Banks and Financial Institutions Act, 1993 against you for recovery of a sum of **Rs.33,08,627.00/-** together with current and future interest and other reliefs.

You are hereby required to show cause within 30 days from the date of publication of this summons/notice or on **13.04.2026 at 10.30 A.M.** in person or by a Pleader/ Advocate duly instructed as to why the reliefs prayed for should not be granted. Take notice that in case of default the Application will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my Hand and seal of this Tribunal nn this **05th Day Of March, 2026.**

By Order Of The Tribunal,
Registrar
Debts Recovery Tribunal -II
Bengaluru

TO,
1. Mr. Pushkar Bahri
S/o Mr Varinder Bahri, aged About 39 Years, H.No.488A, Ground Floor, Hardev Puri, Gautam Nagar, New Delhi-110049 **...Defendant No: 1**
2. Mrs. Vaishnavi Singh
W/o Mr. Pushkar Bahri, aged About 23 Years, H.No.488A, Ground Floor, Hardev Puri, Gautam Nagar, New Delhi-110049 **...Defendant No: 2**
3. M/s Landstar Homes
Partnership Firm Represented By Partners **A) Mr K Uma Maheswara Reddy, B) Mrs Lakshmi Rangaswamy** No. H-108, Sriram Spurti, AECS Layout, Brooke Fields, Bangalore-560037 **...Defendant No: 3**
4. Mr K Uma Maheswara Reddy
S/o Mr.k Veera Reddy, Aged about 44 Years, "RAVANA" No. 330/2, 1st Cross, S.R Layout, Mrugesh Palya, Bangalore-560017 **...Defendant No: 4**
5. Mrs. Lakshmi Rangaswamy
W/o Mr. Chennan Rangaswamy, Aged about 41 Years, #H-108, Sriram Spurthi, AECS Layout, Brooke Fields, Kundalahalli, Bangalore-560037 **...Defendant No: 5**
6. Mrs. R Audi Lakshmi
W/o Mr R Pratap Kumar Reddy, Aged about 48 Years, R/at Flat No. A-4, Samhita Ritz Apartment, Rahath Bagh, Nagavarapalya, C V Raman Nagar Post, Bangalore -560093 **...Defendant No: 6**
7. Mr. K Parameshwara Reddy
S/o Sri Sundararama Reddy, Aged about 56 Years, R/at No. 2-3-140/A, Blossom House, Adarsh Nagar Road, No.1,Nagole, Hyderabad **...Defendant No: 8**

QuoteExpress IF YOU'RE GOING THROUGH HELL, KEEP GOING › WINSTON CHURCHILL

All the news. In just a click.
Log to www.newindianexpress.com

/thenewindianxpress
@newindianxpress
+The New Indian Express
Google Play
App Store

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to notify the General Public that my client **Ms. VELANGANNIE. T,** D/o Late Thomas, residing at No. E188/81, Raghuram Layout, Near Antony Church, Ramachandrapura, Bengaluru-560013, is intending to purchase the immovable property more fully described in the Schedule Property hereunder from M/s. TECHSER POWER SOLUTIONS PVT. LTD., a company represented by its director Sri. M. Suresh, having its registered office at No. 12/1, Techser House, 5th Cross, MES Ring Road, Sharadambanagar, Jalahalli, Bengaluru - 560013.

If any person/s claiming any right, title or interest of any nature in or any lien, charge or enforceable right in relation to said Schedule property and/or any objections of any nature to the transaction should lodge such claim and/or objections in writing to the undersigned address together with supporting documents within 15 (Fifteen) days hereof, failing which it will be presumed that no valid claims or objections subsist and our client would proceed to complete the sale transaction with the aforesaid owner subject to compliance with other statutory and legal formalities

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the immovable Residential Property bearing Vacant Site No. 16/A, previously comes under Byatarayanapura CMC Old Katha No. 23/1, presently comes under the Jurisdiction of Bruhath Bangalore Mahanagara Palike (BBMP) limits, New BBMP Katha No. 25/23/1/16/A, Situated at: DODDABOMMASANDRA Village, Yelahanka Hobli, previously Bangalore North Taluk, Presently Yelahanka Taluk, and including all rights, privileges and appurtenances there to whether whatsoever above or beneath the surface and measuring East to West: 16-0" (Sixteen) feet and North to South: 27-0" (Twenty-Seven) feet, totally measuring 432 Sq. feet of Property along with 200 Sq Feet A.C Sheet roofed House constructed thereon of Red Oxide flooring Jungle woods doors and windows, with water, electricity and sanitary and all civic amenities in the schedule property. and bounded as follows: East by : 20 feet Road, West by : Private Property, North by: Abraham's Property, South by : St. Antony's Property.

Sd/- **NAGARAJA .G**, Advocate
N.G. LAW ASSOCIATES, Advocates
No. 4, Ground Floor, 3rd Cross, Balaji Layout, Kodigehalli Main Road, Bengaluru -560 094. Mob:9880345321
Date: 12-03-2026

BEFORE THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-II, AT BENGALURU

BSNL Building, 4th Floor, Telephone House, Rajbhavan Road, Bengaluru-560001

IN THE MATTER OF
O.A.NO. 06/2024

Between:
IDBI BANK LIMITED
Retail Recovery-RBG
No. 58, IDBI House
Mission Road, Bangalore - 560 027
...Applicant

And
Sri. Karthik Vijayraj And Others
...Defendant

SUMMONS ISSUED UNDER RULE 23(VIII) OF THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL (PROCEDURE) RULES 1993 TO THE DEFENDANTS

Whereas the Applicant has instituted an application under section 19 of the Recovery of Debts Due to Banks and Financial Institutions Act, 1993 against you for recovery of a sum of **Rs.60,66,517.38/-** together with current and future interest and other reliefs.

You are hereby required to show cause within 30 days from the date of publication of this summons/notice or on **13.04.2026 at 10.30 A.M.** in person or by a Pleader/ Advocate duly instructed as to why the reliefs prayed for should not be granted. Take notice that in case of default the Application will be heard and determined in your absence.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF THIS TRIBUNAL ON THIS **05TH DAY OF MARCH, 2026.**

By Order Of The Tribunal,
Registrar
Debts Recovery Tribunal -II
Bengaluru

TO,
1. Sri. Karthik Vijayraj
S/o Sri Vijayraj V, Aged About 33 Years, No.56, 2nd Cross, Club Road, Tc Palya Main Road, Near Anandapura Auto Stand, Bengaluru-560036. **:Defendant No.01**
2. Smt. M Poornima
W/o Sri Vijayaraj V, Aged About 31 Years, No.56, 2nd Cross, Club Road, Tc Palya, Main Road, Near Anandapura Auto Stand, Bengaluru-560036 **:Defendant No.2**
3. M/s. MM Destiny Developers Partnership Firm Represented By Its Partners Smt. Mrudhula Jogi, No.203, Kalpana Pride Homes, 9th Cross, Kodihalli, Bengaluru-560008 **: Defendant No.3**

PUBLIC NOTICE

General Public are hereby notified that the undersigned has been instructed to carry out search report to ascertain the marketable title and lawful possession of Smt. Lakshmamma W/o G. Muniraju, R/o, No. 144/210, Janatha Colony, Bashetty Halli, Kasaba Hobli, Doddaballapur Taluk,Bangalore Rural-561203, over the Schedule Properties, who has offered to sell the same to my client for consideration. Consequently, I have undertaken to carry out search and to scrutinize various documents to ascertain the marketable title and lawful possession of the Owner over the Schedule Properties and the search report is in progress. Meanwhile, I have been authorized to issue this Public Notice by the owner calling for objections from persons who may be interested in the Schedule Properties or any portion thereof or having any claims against the Schedule Property or opposing sale thereof.

Therefore, any person/s, financial institutions or otherwise having any interest in the Schedule Properties or any portion thereof or intending to oppose the sale of the Schedule Properties or any portion thereof to third parties, may forward their written objections with supporting documents to the undersigned, **within TEN (10) days** from the date of publication hereof for scrutiny and consideration. Any objections received thereafter will not be considered and my client would proceed with the completion of the sale subject to title clearance, as if there are no third-party claims or interest, and if any, are deemed to have been waived.

SCHEDULE PROPERTIES

ITEM No. 1: Agricultural property bearing Sy. No. 30/2, measuring to an extent of 00-10.12 Guntas and 00-00.08 Gunta of 'B' Kharab Land, situated at Devasthanada Amanikere Village, Kasaba Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural and bounded on: **East by:** Property bearing Sy. No. 30/3, **West by:** Property bearing Sy. No. 30/1, North byGovernment Halla, **South by:** Property bearing Sy. No. 29

ITEM No. 2: Agricultural property bearing Sy. No. 30/6, measuring 00-11.08 Guntas and 00-01 gunta of 'B' Kharab Land, situated at Devasthanada Ammani Kere village, Kasaba Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural and bounded on: **East by:** Property bearing Sy.No. 29, **West by:** Property bearing Sy.No. 30/5, **North by:** Pit, **South by:** Property bearing Sy.No.26

ITEM No. 3: Agricultural property bearing Sy. No. 30/7, measuring 00-08.12 Guntas and 00-00.12 Guntas of 'B' Kharab Land, situated at Devasthanada Ammani Kere village, Kasaba Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural and bounded on: **East by:** Kollarappa's Property bearing Sy.No. 30/5, **West by:** Property bearing Sy.No. 30/4, **North by:** Pit, **South by:** Property bearing Sy.No.26

ITEM No. 4: Agricultural property bearing Sy. No. 31/20, measuring to an extent of 00-02.04 Guntas situated at Devasthanada Amanikere Village, Kasaba Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural and bounded on: **East by:** Property bearing Sy. No. 31/21, **West by:** Property bearing Sy. No. 31/5, **North by:** Property bearing Sy. No. 31/17 & Sy. No. 31/18, **South by:** Property bearing Sy. No. 31/22

ITEM No. 5: Agricultural property bearing Sy. No. 73/7, measuring to an extent of 00-03.04 Guntas situated at Neeleri village, Kasaba Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural and bounded on: **East by:** Property bearing Sy. No. 73/3, **West by:** Property bearing Sy. No. 72/2, **North by:** Boundary of Devanahalli Village, **South by:** Property bearing Sy. No. 73/8.

SHIVAKUMARA .H, Advocate
No.5, Richmond Road, Bengaluru-560 025
Date: 12-03-2026

Govt of Karnataka
O/o Executive Engineer,
PWD, Udupi Division Udupi - 576101
C.No: (0820) 2531802
No.PWD:UDN:NIT-53:2025-26:AE-2 Dated:12.03.2026

Tender Notification (2nd Call)

It is here by notified for the information of intending Registered Empanelled Consultant for Survey under KPWD, through e-portal "kppp.karnataka.gov.in" as per Karnataka tranperency in public procurement act - 2023, as per specified terms & condition notified there in. The Last date for submission of tender on **27.03.2026** through E-procurement portal" kppp.karnataka.gov.in" for 2 Works under **3054 - SH & MDR Maintainance** head, workcosting **Rs. 24.50** and **65.87 (excluding GST)**. For more information contact office during office hours.

Executive Engineer
Public Works Department,
Udupi Division Udupi

KERALA MEDICAL SERVICES CORPORATION LTD.
(Department of Health & Family Welfare, Govt. of Kerala)
THYCAUD P.O., THIRUVANANTHAPURAM - 695014
Tele:0471-2945646, 2945600
website: www.kmscl.kerala.gov.in, e-mail: eptenders.kmscl@kerala.gov.in
CIN No. U24233KL2007SGC021616

No. KMSCL/EP/10353/2022 Dated : 12.03.2026

e-TENDER NOTICE (Running Contract)

Online bids are invited for the supply and installation of the following equipment for various Government healthcare institutions across Kerala

Sl. No	Tender No.	Description	Online Pre-Bid Meeting	Last date of Online submission
1.	T591/2026	Procurement of Cardiac Consumables (Category I)	21.04.2026 11.00 am.	08.05.2026 5.00 p.m.
2.	T592/2026	Micromanipulator with accessories, Air Handling unit for IVF Lab, Battery operated power drill with Reamer saw and accessories, Syringe pump,Advanced Phaco Emulsification System	23.04.2026 11.00 am.	11.05.2026 5.00 p.m.
3.	T593/2026	Modular Operation Theatre Type B, High End Image Intensifier C-Arm, Grossing work station, Arthroscopy Camera & Instruments and shaver system model B, Blood Gas Analyzer – 500tests/month, Blood Gas Analyzer – 200tests/month	25.04.2026 11.00 am.	13.05.2026 5.00 p.m.

Tender documents and all other information related to tender and bidding process can be downloaded from the website www.etenders.kerala.gov.in.

Sd/- Managing Director (Tender Inviting Authority)

The Brihanmumbai Electric Supply & Transport Undertaking
(OF THE BRIHANMUMBAI MAHANAGARPALIKA)

TENDER NOTICE

E-tenders are invited for the supply of following items.

(1) 81467- Biennial Contract for Purchase of 11kV, 250MVA, Indoor Vacuum Circuit Breakers Switchgears for Distribution Sub-Station with Horizontal Isolation of various ratings, (2) 81462- Contract for Empanelment of Advertising Agency,

Re – invited e-tenders

(3) 81199.

Note: For more details, log on to website **https://mahatenders.gov.in**

PRO/AAM(M)/131/2026 **GENERAL MANAGER**

SOUTH WESTERN RAILWAY

TENDER NOTICE NO. CN/02/2026 DATE : 04/03/2026

The undersigned, on behalf of the President of India, invites E-Tender through IREPS only for supply of following items: **Tender Closing Time: 10:30 Hrs.**

Sl.	Tender No.	Description in Brief	Tender Due on
1	56251090	PVC Insulated, Armoured, Unscreened, Underground Railway Signalling Cable Copper conductor Conforming to RDSO Specn. No. IRS : S-63/2014 (Rev.4.0) or latest; Size : 24 Core x 1.5 Sq.mm. **Qty :** 338 Kms.	06.04.2026

For details log on: www.ireps.gov.in

Deputy Chief Materials Manager / Construction
Bengaluru Cantonment
PUB/973/AAS/PRB/SWR/2025-26

Download the **RailOne** app. RailOne is the all-in-one railway app by Indian Railways. Passengers can book reserved tickets, unreserved tickets, platform ticktes, and season passes, check PNR status, order food, and access many more services at their fingertips. Use digital payment to book unreserved tickets through **RailOne** app, and enjoy up to a **3%** discount.

South Western Railway-SWR SWRRLY @SWRAILWAYHQ @sw_railways

SOUTH WESTERN RAILWAY

MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS
NOTIFICATION
Bengaluru, 02 March 2026

S.O. 1118 (E) - In exercise of the powers conferred by clause 37(A) of Section 2 of the Railways Act, 1989 (Act no. 24 of 1989) the Ministry of Railway (South Western Railway, Construction Organization, Bengaluru Cantonment) hereby notifies the project, as "Special Railway Project" mentioned in the table below, in the State of Karnataka for providing National Infrastructure for a Public Purpose with effect from date of publication of the notification in the Official Gazette.

Sl. No.	Name of the Project
1	Quadrupling of Track between Whitefield - Bangarpet Station (47 Km)

No.W.271/CN/BNC/2025-26/Land SRP/1727

For details log on: https://egazette.gov.in

Pardeep Puri, Chief Engineer- III, Construction,
Bengaluru Cantonment
PUB/971/AAS/PRB/SWR/2025-26

Download the **RailOne** app. RailOne is the all-in-one railway app by Indian Railways. Passengers can book reserved tickets, unreserved tickets, platform ticktes, and season passes, check PNR status, order food, and access many more services at their fingertips. Use digital payment to book unreserved tickets through **RailOne** app, and enjoy up to a **3%** discount.

South Western Railway-SWR SWRRLY @SWRAILWAYHQ @sw_railways

GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA
Minor Irrigation and Ground Water Development Department. Office of the Executive Engineer Minor Irrigation and Ground Water Development Department Division Koppal. Phone & Fax No : 08539-220054 email: eemidnkst@rediffmail.com

No:EE/MI&GWDD/Koppal/PB/TP/2025-26/5562
Dated:10/03/2026

INVITATION FOR SHORT TERM TENDER

The Executive Engineer, Minor Irrigation and Ground Water Development Department Division Koppal invites tenders from the eligible tenderers registered civil contractors as per standard bid documents KW-1 & KW-2 on E-Procurement portal for 19 no. of works pertaining to Koppal, Raichur district . The amount Put To Tender For The Mentioned Workss Varies From Rs.6.91 to 48.41 Lakhs.The Tenders May Submit Tenders For The Mentioned Work Through E-Procurement Portal Only. Two cover tender procedure as per rule 28 of the KTTP act shall be followed.

For more information the contractor can contact the under signed during office hours and all information regarding tenders can be had from website Karnataka Public Procurement Portal The tender documents can be downloaded from the above website address on or after **13-03-2026**. Last date & time for receipt of tender is **23-3-2026** time 16.00 hours, Pre bid meeting will be held on **20-03-2026**, 11.00 Hours at division office koppal, Date & time for opening of technical bid **25-03-2026** time 11.00 hours, date and time for opening of financial bid **27-03-2026** time 11.00 hours (If technical bid sanction is accorded by the competent authority).

Sd/-Executive Engineer, Minor Irrigation and Ground Water Development Department Division Koppal.
DIPR/Koppal/750/KSMCA/2025-26

CITY UNION BANK LIMITED
Credit Recovery and Management Department
Administrative Office : No. 24-B, Gandhi Nagar, Kumbakonam - 612 001. **E-Mail id :** crmd@cityunionbank.in, **Ph :** 0435-2432322, **Fax :** 0435-2431746

POSSESSION NOTICE (Immovable Properties)

Whereas, the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of **City Union Bank Ltd.,** having its **Administrative Office** at **No. 24-B, Gandhi Nagar, Kumbakonam - 612001** and one of the Branch Offices at **No.194, Ground Floor, 7th Cross, I Stage, Indira Nagar, Bengaluru, Bengaluru Urban - 560038, Bengaluru-Indira Nagar Branch,** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 13(2) & (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a Demand Notice **12-11-2024** calling upon the borrowers **No.1) Mr. G. Chandramohan Reddy, S/o. G. Sreeramulu Reddy, Flat No.A-1, Vijaya Enclave Apartment, Shivaganga Layout, Mahadevapura Outer Ring Road, Bangalore - 560048. No.2) Mrs. P. Hemalatha, W/o. G. Chandramohan Reddy, Flat No.A-1, Vijaya Enclave Apartment, Shivaganga Layout, Mahadevapura Outer Ring Road, Bangalore - 560048** to repay the amount mentioned in the Notice being **Rs.4,05,958/- (Rupees Four Lakh Five Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty Eight only)** within **60 days** from the date of the said Notice with subsequent interest thereon from **11-11-2024** with monthly rests.

The borrowers above named having failed to repay the amount despite the receipt of the above referred statutory notice, NOTICE is hereby given to the borrowers above named and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the Properties described herein below in exercise of the powers conferred on him under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said Rules on this 10th day of March 2026.

The borrowers above named in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the properties and any dealings with the properties will be subject to the charge of City Union Bank Ltd. for an amount of **Rs.4,91,406/- (Rupees Four Lakh Ninety One Thousand Four Hundred and Six only)** and interest thereon from **10-03-2026** till the repayment of entire dues.

The borrowers' attention is invited to provisions of Sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Immovable Properties Mortgaged to our Bank

Schedule - A

(Property Owned by Mr. G. Chandramohan Reddy, S/o. G. Sreeramulu Reddy)

All that Piece and Parcel of the Residential Sites Bearing Nos : 229, 230 & 231 bearing Mahadevapura, CMC Khatha No.231, Carved Out of Converted land bearing Survey Nos.152 and 153 Converted vide Conversion Order No.BDS/ALN (E) SR 187/2003-04, Dated 06-02-2004. Measuring : East to West - 40 ft. and North to South - 90 ft. Totally measuring 3,600 Sq. ft. and Bounded on the : East by : Site Nos : 196 ,197 & 198, West by : 25 ft. Road, North by : 25 ft. Road, South by : Site No.228.

Schedule - B

Undivided Share, Interest, Title of the land equivalent to 347 Sq. ft. in the Immovable Property Mentioned in Schedule - A.

Schedule - C

All that Piece and Parcel of the Residential Flat bearing No.A-1 in the Ground Floor measuring 1,286 Sq. ft. the Super built-up-area Containing Three Bed Rooms, Hall, Dinning, Kitchen and Toilets with RCC Roofing, Vitrified Flooring and Sal Wood Doors and Aluminum Windows together with one Covered Car Parking Space Including Proportionate Share in Common Areas Such as Passage, Lobbies, Staircase and Lift Constructed on Composite Schedule-A Property Known as Vijaya Enclave.

Place : Bangalore, Date : 10-03-2026 **Authorised Officer**

Regd. Office : 149, T.S.R. (Big) Street, Kumbakonam, Thanjavur District, Tamil Nadu - 612 001, **CIN -** L65110TN1904PLC001287, **Telephone No.** 0435-2402322, **Fax :** 0435-2431746, **Website :** www.cityunionbank.com

---

Can Fin Homes Ltd
586, 2nd Floor, 80ft Rd, 8th Block, Near Police Station, Opp. Bethany School Koramangala, Bangalore-560095
koramangala@canfinhomes.com
Tel: 080-41112879, Mob:7625079131/7625079457
CIN: L85110KA1987PLC008699
KORAMANGALA BRANCH

SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES
[proviso to rule 8(6)]

E-Auction SALE NOTICE for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

NOTICE is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the physical possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of Can Fin Homes Ltd., Koramangala Branch, will be sold by holding E-Auction on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" on **17/04/2026**, for recovery of **Rs.36,60,514/-** (Rupees Thirty Six Lakh Sixty Thousand Five Hundred and Fourteen Only) due to Can Fin Homes Ltd. from **Mr. Srinivas H and Mrs. LAKSHMAMMA H** (Borrowers) **and Mr. BYLAPPA** (Guarantor), as on 12/03/2026, together with further interest and other charges thereon.

The reserve price will be **Rs.70,80,000/-** (Rupees Seventy Lakh Eighty Thousand Only) and the earnest money deposit will be **Rs.7,08,000/-** (Rupees Seven Lakh Eight Thousand Only)

Description of the Immovable Property

All that piece and parcel of residential property bearing Southern Portion of Site No. 9, BBMP Sy no.1, Property no. 50/9, Old Sy no. 17, Earlier Sy no.50, New Sy no. 50/2B, V.P.Katha no. 24, Khaneshumari no 9, Katha no. 24/40 is situtated in 2nd main road, A.K.Colony, Behind Madduramma Temple, very near to Nagarbhavi circle,Nagarbhavi village, Yeshwanthpur hobli, under BBMP, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore-560072, totally measuring 720 Sq. Ft. and bounded on the East by: House belongs to Sri.Munivenkatappa, West by :House belongs to Smt.Velliyamma, North by : Remaining portion of same no. 50/9, belongs to H Hemanth Kumar after 15ft road, A.K colony main road and South by :20ft road &Sri.Muthaiah's property.

Known Encumbrances : NIL

For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, provided in the official website of Can Fin Homes Ltd., (www.canfinhomes.com) please refer to the following link https://www.canfinhomes.com SearchAuction.aspx
Link for participating in e-auction : www.auctionbazaar.com

Place: Bangalore
Date: 12.03.2026

Sd/-
Authorised Officer
Can Fin Homes Ltd.,

POSSESSION NOTICE

Whereas, the authorized officer of **Jana Small Finance Bank Limited** under the Securitization And Reconstruction of Financial Assets And Enforcement Of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13 (2) read with rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002 issued **demand notices** to the borrower(s)/ Co-borrowers(s) calling upon the borrowers to repay the amount mentioned against the respective names together with interest thereon at the applicable rates as mentioned in the said notices within **60 days** from the date of receipt of the said notices, along with future interest as applicable incidental expenses, costs, charges etc. incurred till the date of payment and/or realisation.

Sr. No.	Loan No.	Borrower/ Co-Borrower/ Guarantor/ Mortgagor	13(2) Notice Date/ Outstanding Due (in Rs.) as on	Date/ Time & Type of Possession
1	46459630000170 & 46459410000338	1) Mr. Ramesh M, 2) Mrs. Lalithamma R	17-12-2025 Rs.8,20,319.91 (Rupees Eight Lakh Twenty Thousand Three Hundred Nineteen and Ninety One Paisa Only) due as on 11-12-2025	Date: 11-03-2026 Time: 02:10 PM Symbolic Possession

Description of the Property: All the piece and parcel of the Property bearing No.99/40, Katha ID No.15030040150030011, situated at Obalahalli Village, Jadigenahalli Hobli, Hosakote Taluk and Bangalore Rural District and **Bounded by the: East by:** Byatesh House and Vacant Place, **West by:** Muniyappa House, **North by:** Sri Chowdeshwari Temple, **South by:** Government Road. Measuring East to West: 9.144 meters and North to South: 6.096 meters. Total Site Measuring 74.32 Sq.meters and Building 55.74 Sq.meters.

Whereas the Borrower's/ Co-Borrower's/ Guarantor's/ Mortgagors, mentioned herein above have failed to repay the amounts due, notice is hereby given to the Borrower's mentioned herein above in particular and to the Public in general that the authorised officer of **Jana Small Finance Bank Limited** has **taken possession** of the properties/ secured assets described herein above in exercise of powers conferred on him under Section 13(4) of the said act read with Rule 8 of the said rules on the dates mentioned above. The Borrower's/ Co-Borrower's/ Guarantor's/ Mortgagors mentioned herein above in particular and the Public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the aforesaid properties/ Secured Assets and any dealings with the said properties/ Secured assets will be subject to the charge of **Jana Small Finance Bank Limited.**

Place: Bangalore Rural **Sd/- Authorised Officer,**
Date: 13.03.2026 **For Jana Small Finance Bank Limited**

JANA SMALL FINANCE BANK (A Scheduled Commercial Bank)
Registered Office: The Fairway, Ground & First Floor, Survey No.10/1, 11/2 & 12/2B, Off Domlur, Koramangla Inner Ring Road, Next to EGL Business Park, Challaghatta, Bangalore-560071.

INDIAN OVERSEAS BANK
Bommanahalli Branch (1654)
1/3 Sriraj Complex, First Floor, Begur Main Road, Bommanahalli, Bangalore-560068, Contact: 8925951654, Email: iob1654@iob.bank.in

Demand notice to Borrowers/Mortgagors/Guarantors Under Sub-section(2) of section 13 of the SARFAESI Act, 2002

TO

Sl No	Borrower (Name & Full address)	Sl No	Guarantor (Name & Full address)
1	**Borrower 1 Name : M/s. Pushpa Communications** No.286/1, Begur Main Road, Bommanahalli, Jayaram Reddy Building Bangalore-560068	1	**Guarantor Name : Mr.B.J.Manjunath Reddy S/o.Late.Sri.Jayarama Reddy** No.286/1, Begur Main Road, Jayaram Reddy Building,Bommanahalli, Bangalore-560068.
2	**Mr.B.J.Prabhakar Reddy S/o.Late.Sri.Jayarama Reddy** Proprietor of **M/s.Pushpa Communications** No. 286/1, Begur Main Road, Jayaram Reddy Building, Bommanahalli, Bangalore-560068	2	**Mr.B.J.Manjunath Reddy S/o.Late.Sri.Jayarama Reddy** No.17, BHCS Layout, Virat Nagar, Bommanahalli, Bangalore-560068

Dear Sir/Madam,

Re.: Your Credit facilities with India Overseas Bank, Bommanahalli Branch

1.You, the above named Borrower of our bank have availed the following credit facilities from our – Bommanahalli Branch.

The details of credit facilities with outstanding dues are as under:

Sl. No	Nature of facility	Limit	Rates of Interest (including overdue interest) & rests	Total dues as on 09.03.2026 (in Rs.)
1	Cash Credit – Easy Trade Finance	**Rs. 35,00,000/-** (Rupees Thirty Five Lakhs Only)	1 Year MCLR @ 8.80 % + 2.75 % + 2% extra i.e 13.55% at present	**Rs.42,56,971/- (Rupees Forty Two Lakhs Fifty Six Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventy One only) plus undebited interest as on date**
		Total		**Rs.42,56,971/- plus undebited interest as on date**

With further interest at contractual rates/rests will become payable from the date mentioned above till date of payment.

The credit facilities were secured by the assets mentioned below by way of mortgage standing in the name of borrower/guarantor.

You have acknowledged from time to time the liabilities mentioned herein above through various documents executed by you.

2. The details of securities in favor of the Bank for the aforesaid credit facilities are:

Nature of security (Hypothecation/ Mortgage etc.,)	Particulars of securities (Full description with location, four boundaries, measurement on four sides total extent and name of owner to be given)
Mortgage	**Property 1 : Owner Name : Mr.B.J.Prabhakar Reddy** All that piece and parcel of the property bearing site no.515A, formed out of Survey.No.23, Situated at Nagadevanahalli Village (Bhubaneswari Nagar), Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, measuring East to West 40 Feet , North to South 30 Feet, **Total land measuring 1200 Sq.ft. Boundries -** East by : Road, West by : Hiduvali Land, North by : Property No.515 B, South by : Hiduvali Land Property comes under the BBMP limits.
	Property 2 : Owner Name : Mr.B.J.Manjunatha Reddy All that piece and parcel of the residential property bearing Site No.86, BBMP Khatha No.06/86, Survey No.6, Solenahalli Village(Solapuradama Layout), Kengeri hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, measuring East to West 50 Feet, North to South 30 Feet, **Total land measuring 1500 Sq.ft. Boundries :** East by : Road, West by : Government Halla (channel), North by : Site no.86A, South by : Road. Property comes under the BBMP limits.

3. Consequent upon defaults committed by the above named borrower in payment of the principal debt / interest as per agreed terms, loan account mentioned above have been classified as **Non-Performing Asset on 30.06.2021** (date of classification as NPA) as per Reserve Bank of India guidelines and directives. Despite our reminders for regularization of your account, you have not repaid the overdue loans including interest thereon.
4. Since you have failed to meet the liabilities in respect of the credit facilities duly secured by various securities mentioned above and upon classification of your account as a Non-Performing Asset, we hereby recall our advances to you and give you notice under sub-section (2) of section 13 of the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, and call upon you to pay in full and discharge your liabilities to the bank aggregating to **Rs.42,56,971/- plus undebited interest as on date** as detailed in para 1 above, with further interest @ 8.80 % + 2.75 % + 2% extra i.e 13.55% at present with monthly rests, from the date mentioned above, within 60 days from the date of this notice. We further give you notice that failing payment of the above amount with interest till the date of payment, we shall be exercising all or any of the rights vested in us, under sub-section (4) of section 13 of the said Act and proceeding against the securities without intervention of Court.
5. Since the borrowers have committed defaults in repayment, the mortgagors/guarantors have become liable to pay to us in terms of the guarantee, the amounts due to the Bank as per the loan / credit facilities aggregating to Rs.42,56,971/- plus undebited interest as on date and we hereby call upon you to pay the said amount within sixty days from the date of receipt of this notice.
6. Please note that interest will continue to accrue at the rates and rests as agreed for each credit facility until full repayment.
7. Your attention is also invited to sub-section (13) of section 13 of the said Act in terms of which you are restrained from transferring/alienating/shifting any of the secured assets referred to above by way of sale, lease or otherwise, without obtaining our prior written consent. Please also note that non-compliance / contravention of the provisions contained in the said Act or Rules made there under, is an offence which is punishable with imprisonment and/or fine as provided under section 29 of the Act.
8. We also put all of you on notice that if the account is not regularized/ repaid within the stipulated time and in case of the Bank classifying you as a willful defaulter as per RBI Guidelines, the Bank reserves its rights to publish your photograph in newspaper(s) with your name, address, details of default, dues etc., in accordance with RBI Guidelines besides initiating all recourses available to the Bank for recovery.
9. We also advise you that this demand notice is without prejudice to and shall not be construed as waiver of any other rights or remedies which we have for recovery of the above said dues as well as our right to make further demands in respect of sums due and payable by you.
10. Further, your attention is invited to provisions of Sub-section (8) of the Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to you, to redeem the secured assets.

Place : BOMMANAHALLI **Yours faithfully,**
Date : 10.03.2026 **Authorised Officer**

QuoteExpress

IF YOU'RE GOING THROUGH HELL, KEEP GOING

WINSTON CHURCHILL

SOUTH WESTERN RAILWAY

MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS
NOTIFICATION
Bengaluru, 02 March, 2026

S.O. 1117(E) - In exercise of the powers conferred by clause 37(A) of Section 2 of the Railways Act, 1989 (Act no. 24 of 1989) the Ministry of Railway (South Western Railway, Construction Organization, Bengaluru Cantonment) hereby notifies the project, as "Special Railway Project" mentioned in the table below, in the State of Karnataka for providing National Infrastructure for a Public Purpose with effect from date of publication of the notification in the Official Gazette.

Sl. No.	Name of the Project	Village	Taluk	District
1	Bengaluru City - Mysuru Section: Construction of Road Under Bridge in lieu of LC No. 10 at KM: 10/900 - 11/000 between Nayandahalli and Kengeri stations	Valagerahalli	Bengaluru South	Bengaluru

No.W.271/CN/BNC/2025-26/Land SRP/1727

For details log on: https://egazette.gov.in

Pardeep Puri, Chief Engineer- III, Construction,
Bengaluru Cantonment
PUB/972/AAS/PRB/SWR/2025-26

Download the **RailOne** app. RailOne is the all-in-one railway app by Indian Railways. Passengers can book reserved tickets, unreserved tickets, platform ticktes, and season passes, check PNR status, order food, and access many more services at their fingertips. Use digital payment to book unreserved tickets through **RailOne** app, and enjoy up to a **3%** discount.

South Western Railway-SWR SWRRLY @SWRAILWAYHQ @sw_railways

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank
Syndicate

Regional Office South,
No 19, 1st Floor, South end Road, Basavanagudi,
Bengaluru 560004. Ph:080-2654886, Email: recblrro2@canarabank.com

GOLD ORNAMENTS AUCTION SALE NOTICE
OFFERS ARE INVITED FROM PUBLIC FOR PURCHASE OF BELOW MENTIONED GOLD ORNAMENTS TO BE AUCTIONED BY CANARA BANK, REGIONAL OFFICE, BENGALURU SOUTH

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below mentioned borrower has been issued to pay the outstanding amount towards the facilities against the gold ornaments availed by the borrower from CANARA BANK, of the below mentioned Branches. Gold ornaments will be sold on **"As the condition as is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" on 30-03-2026 between 12.00 P.M.to 2:00 P.M,** for recovery of dues with further interest and charges there on due from the mentioned branch, of Canara Bank from the respective borrower. In the event, if any surplus amount is realized from this auction, the same will be refunded, after adjusting any other liabilities due to the bank and if there is a deficit, post the auction, the balance amount shall be recovered from borrower through appropriate legal action. Canara Bank has the authority to remove any of the following accounts from the e Auction without prior intimation.

Branch Name	Customer Name	Account Number	Net Weight in Grams	Reserve Price	BRANCH CONTACT NO
1173- SOUTH END	KARTIK FAKIRAPPA LAMANI	180121405014	6.11	88136.75	9976633313
10475- VIJAYA COLLEGE	OMPRAKASH JAIN	164039867014	32.1	463042.5	9543034314
	OMPRAKASH JAIN	164039867684	29.4	424095	
437- BEGUR	L SUMAN	180135633295	8	115400	9986996570
2512- PADMANABHANAGAR	DEBJANI KUMAR	180096512340	100	1442500	9886411865
	SIMRAN SULTANA	164052099912	61.2	882810	
3047- BOMMANAHALLI	MAHESH B M	164096420955	86.7	1250648	8686235896

Other terms and conditions: (a) E-Auction of Gold Ornaments will be held on 30.03.2026, between 12.00 PM. to 2:00 P.M by the service provider M/s Antares Systems Ltd (G-ERP Evolving Solutions for Tomorrow) (**Mr. Ravi Roshan**-9708966664, **Ms. B M Sushmitha**- 8951944383, 080-45982100/033-46046611 Website:- **https://www.gerpegov.com/canarabank,** email ID : **helpdeskcanbank@gmail.com)** Bidders shall improve their offers in multiplies of Rs.3,000/-. **(b) The Gold Ornaments can be inspected,** with prior appointment with Branch Manager, between **23.03.2026 to 24.03.2026 (except Holiday)** between 11 A.M to 4.00 P.M. **(c) The Gold Ornaments will be sold** for the price which is more than the Reserve Price and the participating bidders may improve their offer further during auction process.

Sd/-
Place : Bangalore Authorized officer,
Date : 12.03.2026 **Canara Bank**

Government of Karnataka
DISTRICT HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE OFFICERS OFFICE KALABURAGI
Tel Number – 0847227819 Mail : dhogulbarga@gmail.com

No. EST-3/CR/95/2025-26 Date : 05-03-2026

:: SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION ::

Regarding the short term tender called through e-procurement for the vacant posts of (05) Computer Operators, (06) Group D, (10) Sweeper Guards in Kalaburagi and Jewargi 100-bed Mother and Child Hospital for the year 2026-27

1) Tender Publication Number and Date : No. C3/CR/95/2026-27 Date : 05-03-2026, 2) Estimated amount received for tender : Approximate Rs. 52,87,000/- (Rupees Fifty Two Lakh Eighty Seven thousand only), 3) EMD amount Rs. : Rs. 1,32,000/- (One Lakh Thirty Two thousand rupees only), 4) Starting and closing date and time for submission of tender envelopes through e-portal : Start Date : 05-03-2026 End Date : 24-03-2026, 5) Date and time of opening of technical envelopes of e-portal : Date : 25-03-2026 morning 10:30 am, 6) Date and time of opening of financial envelope : Date : 30-03-2026 at 10.30 am, 7) Office address and telephone number to contact for more information : District Health and Family Welfare Officers office Kalaburagi E-mail : **dhogulbarga@gmail.com**

Sd/- District Health and Family Welfare Officer Kalaburagi

DIPR/Kalaburagi/1167/KSMC&A/2025-26

YES BANK LIMITED
Regd. & Corporate Office: Yes Bank House, Off Western Express Highway, Santacruz East, Mumbai 400055.
CIN: L65190MH2003PLC143249, **E-mail:** communications@yesbank.in, **Website:** www.yesbank.in

PUBLICATION OF NOTICE U/S 13 (2) OF THE SARFAESI ACT

Notice is hereby given that the under mentioned borrower(s)/ guarantor(s)/mortgagor(s) who have defaulted in the repayment of principal and interest of the Overdraft facilities obtained by them from the Bank and whose facility account has been classified as Non-Performing Assets (NPA). The notices were issued to them under Section 13(2) of the Securitization and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 (SARFAESI Act) on their last known addresses but they have been returned un-served and as such they are hereby informed by way of this public notice.

Sr. No.1	Agreement No. HLN002201261309.	Type of Loan: HLN	O/s. As per 13(2) Notice: Rs.1,00,18,497.84	NPA Date: 13-02-2026	Notice Date: 27-02-2026

Name of Borrowers, Co-borrowers, Guarantors, Mortgagors: 1.Mr. K S Kiran Kumar

Details of secured asset : All that piece and parcel of the immovable residential property bearing BBMP corportain New No.100/21(Northern Potion of Housenew No.100 site No.100 in No.99 Madiwala Village having PID No.65-41-100/21 siruated at BTM 1st stage, 1st Phase 6th main road Venakateswara layout madiwala Village Village, Bangalore-560068 Now comes under the jurisdiction of BBMP Madiwala Ward No.172, measuring East to West 50 feet or 15.24 mtrs and North to South 15 feet or 4.57mtrs in all maesuring 750 sqft or 70.26 sqmtrs comprising of existing 2000sqft residential building consisting of ground 700 sqft , 1st Floor 650 sqft and 2nd Floor 650 sqft RCC Roofed Red oxide flooring building with all Civic amenities **Bounded on :-** East by: Road, West by: 5x30 Ft common passage thereafter private property, North by: Property No.101, South by : wall Later Southern portion of property No.100.

Sr. No.2	Agreement No. HLN002201952918.	Type of Loan: HLN	O/s. As per 13(2) Notice: Rs. 28,03,855.17	NPA Date: 13-02-2026	Notice Date: 27-02-2026

Name of Borrowers, Co-borrowers, Guarantors, Mortgagors: 1.Mr. Venkatesan 2. Smt.Vimala

Details of secured asset : All that piece and parcel of the Northern portion of property bearing house site no.305, formed in converted Sy. No.9/6, Old Sy.No.10/3 Old Sy No.10 situated at Thanisandra Village, Krpuram Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, prsently within the limits of BBMP" and **Bounded on:** East by:Road, West by: Mr. Narayanaswamy Property, North by: Remaining Southern portion of ste No.305, South by: House site no.304

The above borrowers and/or their guarantors(s)/mortgaror(s) (whenever applicable) are hereby called upon to make payment of outstanding amount within 60 days from the date of publication of this notice, failing which further steps will be taken after expiry of said **60 days** under sub-Section (4) of Section 13 of SARFAESI Act.

Furthermore, this is to bring to your attention that under Section 13(8) of the SARFAESI Act, in case our dues together with all costs, charges and expenses incurred by us are tendered at any time before the date fixed for sale or transfer, the securd asset shall not be sold or transferred by us, and no further step shall be taken by us for transfer or sale of that secured asset.

Sd/-
Date: 13-03-2026 **Authorised Officer**
Place: Bangalore **For YES BANK Limited**

HASSAN CO-OPERATIVE MILK PRODUCERS SOCIETIES UNION LTD.HASSAN
Industrial Area, PB NO: 120, B.M Road, Hassan- 573201
Telephone: 08172-240609/297064 Fax: 08172-240640 Email: hamul.uhtmktg@gmail.com

INVITATION FOR e-TENDER (IFT)
TENDER NOTIFICATION - TECHNICAL CUM COMMERCIAL TENDER
(Two cover system through e-procurement portal only)

NO: HCMU: MKTG/UHT TRPT TENDER: 6131 : 2025-26 **Date: 09.03.2026**

Hassan Co-operative Milk Union ltd. Hassan invites e- Tenders for Transportation of UHT Milk on Rate/Ltr contract Basis for the following

Sl No	Tender Name	Details	Capacity of the Vehicle
1.	**UHT Milk Transportation for Dealers**	Transportation of UHT milk variants & Milk Products through Trucks from Hassan Dairy to different destinations within Karnataka & outside Karnataka (Dealers) on Biennial Rate contract basis. For a period of Two years	**11 MT To 30 MT**

Calendar of events:

1.	**Access to E-tender Documents**	**11.03.2026 to 10.04.2026 Up to 05.00pm**
2.	**Last Date & Time for tender queries /clarifications**	**08.04.2026 Up to 05.00 pm**
3.	**Last Date & Time for Submission of tenders**	**10.04.2026 , Up to 05.00 pm**
4.	**Date & Time for opening of technical bid**	**13.04.2026, at 11.00 AM onwards**
5.	**Place of opening of technical and financial bid**	**Hassan Milk Union ltd Hassan.**

1) Tender documents may be downloaded from e-procurement website http://kppp.karnataka.gov.in/. Interested renderers may obtain further information at the same address.HCMPSUL will not be responsible for server/website problems if any, late submission/part submission or non-receipt of the same.
2) The renderers are required to pay the Earnest money deposit (E.M.D) only through e-procurement portal using any of the four modes given in Tender document for EMD details please refer tender document.
3) Other details may be obtained from the tender document. Technical Clarifications if any may be obtained from General Manager (Tech)/ Manager (Mktg.) at the above address during office hours.
4) The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all tenders without assigning any reason.

Sd/-
MANAGING DIRECTOR
HAMUL

EDITORIAL

"Yet what greater defeat could we suffer than to come to resemble the forces we oppose in their disrespect for human dignity?

Ruth Bader Ginsburg

INDIAN EXPRESS IS NOT AN INDUSTRY. IT IS A MISSION.

— Ramnath Goenka

EUTHANASIA RULING A REPEAT REMINDER OF LEGISLATIVE VACUUM

THE fundamental right to life and dignity also encompasses the right to die with dignity. The Supreme Court rightly upheld this principle by allowing passive euthanasia for 32-year-old Harish Rana, who has remained in a vegetative state for nearly 13 years after suffering head injuries in a fall. The judgement is a milestone in the legal and ethical debate surrounding end-of-life care in India, marking a noticeable shift from the sanctity of life to the quality of life. Though the top court had earlier legalised passive euthanasia and established a legal framework, this is the first instance of it being applied in practice, providing a concrete precedent. Rana will now be shifted to AIIMS Delhi for the withdrawal of life support, including clinically assisted nutrition and hydration.

It was in *Aruna Shanbaug* (2011) that the Supreme Court first recognised passive euthanasia as distinct from active euthanasia, which involves administering lethal substances to end a patient's life. Passive euthanasia, by contrast, involves withholding or withdrawing life support or treatment necessary to keep a person alive. Later, in 2018, the court reaffirmed the right to die with dignity, formally legalised passive euthanasia and called for legislative support. It issued guidelines and introduced the concept of advance medical directives (living wills), which allow individuals to record their end-of-life wishes in advance. In 2023, the court simplified these guidelines and laid down clear procedures for the withdrawal of life-sustaining treatment including reviews by medical boards.

While the judiciary has repeatedly intervened in matters concerning the right to life with dignity, concrete legislative action has been sorely lacking. The court pointed to the absence of a law governing end-of-life concerns as an example of how legislative inaction can speak louder than legislative action. Despite judicial reminders and the constitutional, ethical, and medical dimensions involved, India's lawmakers have sadly chosen to ignore the urgency of framing a law in this regard. What matters in situations like Rana's is the best interest of the patient. The focus should be on relieving pain, suffering and indignity, and the decision should be rooted in good medical practice and the intrinsic purpose of medicine. The ruling must serve as a timely prompt to enact a comprehensive and coherent statutory framework for passive euthanasia, living wills and the right to refuse treatment.

CONGESTION TAX ALONE NO CURE FOR B'LURU TRAFFIC

TO help ease Bengaluru's worsening traffic congestion, Karnataka's Fifth State Finance Commission, in its report tabled in the Assembly, recommended a congestion charge on the lines of London's system. Under the proposal, vehicles entering some of the city's busiest stretches—including parts of the Outer Ring Road and other heavily crowded corridors—would have to pay a fee, which would be collected automatically through FASTag. The goal is to limit private vehicle use and raise money for urban infrastructure in the five city corporations under the Greater Bengaluru Authority. The London model, started in 2003, uses electronic detection to charge vehicles entering certain zones each day, encouraging people to use public transport and easing road congestion.

However, this proposal may be tackling the problem in the wrong order. Bengaluru's jams are not just caused by too many cars in a few busy areas. Years of weak traffic rule enforcement, unchecked vehicle registrations adding thousands of vehicles daily, and deep-rooted corruption in the regional transport offices, in nexus with various motor driving schools, have all increased the number of vehicles on the road. Frequent roadwork, unplanned city growth and mega road projects—like the proposed tunnel roads—that would only increase the use of private vehicles are the main culprits making things worse. With nearly 1.5 crore people and over 1.3 crore registered vehicles using about 13,000 kilometres of roads, the numbers are tough. If public transport does not become more reliable and traffic rules are not consistently enforced, congestion charges may end up being just another way to raise money rather than a real solution.

The issue impacts not just Bengaluru. The Economic Survey 2025-26 points to congestion pricing and parking reforms as important measures Indian cities can consider, citing examples from London and Singapore. Increasing evidence also shows that failing to address the problem comes at a high cost. Studies across many Indian cities show that travel times have doubled and traffic jams now stretch beyond peak hours; the TomTom Traffic Index 2025 ranks Bengaluru and Kolkata among the slowest cities. Earlier estimates by Uber and the Boston Consulting Group placed annual congestion losses in Delhi, Mumbai, Bengaluru and Kolkata at about $22 billion. These numbers suggest that charging for road use could help, but only if combined with better transport and enforcement.

QUICK TAKE

PERKS GROUNDED

AIRLINES keep chipping away at perks to maximise profits. Of late, US carriers have been tightening air-mile rules. The cheapest economy fares may earn nothing unless the ticket is bought with a co-branded credit card. Rewards now go mainly to high-spending loyal customers, not economy passengers. In Europe, hardcore low-budget airlines are refining the business of discomfort. They still push the idea of 'vertical' saddle seats, discussed since 2010, promising 63 percent more passengers if regulators ever approve it. Almost everything carries a cost: sitting with family, choosing seats, printing a boarding pass, bringing an oversized cabin bag, checking a bag or even a bottle of water. Indian airlines are learning. Revenue ideas travel well.

Iran moved quickly to install Mojtaba Khamenei after Ali Khamenei, signalling regime continuity as domestic politics, regional tensions and international diplomacy shape the country's next phase

A CALM SHIFT OF POWER IN TENSE TIMES

M K BHADRAKUMAR
Former diplomat

SOURAV ROY

IT will remain one of the great paradoxes of contemporary politics that US President Donald Trump and Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu unknowingly facilitated an orderly transition of power in Iran from the epochal era of Ayatollah Ali Khamenei, a matter of intense speculation for at least the past decade.

Transfer of power in Shia politics is always a hairy adventure. What is often not understood by outsiders is that while sectarianism reflects real religious differences and defines 'otherness', it is not the main cause of divisions in the Middle East but its inter-relations with power, resources and territory.

Succession in Iran had indeed become overdue. Khamenei, an astute politician, would have instinctively sensed that he had lost the support of the Tehran bazaar, or the trader class, which was the financial backbone of the 1979 Islamic Revolution. The axis between the clerics (as distinct from the ecclesiastical hierarchy) and the bazaar has been historically at the core of Shia politics—somewhat like the Brahmin-Baniya communion in Indian politics.

Be that as it may, in sheer naïveté, Trump and Netanyahu expected that the 88-member Assembly of Experts would have a herculean task to arrive at a consensus on Khamenei's successor. Trump even demanded, bombastically, a say for himself in the proceedings. Nonetheless, his sarcastic message was counterintuitive and guaranteed two things. One, that the Assembly of Experts avoid the kind of skulduggery that played out in 1989 when the then kingmaker and President Hashemi Rafsanjani unknowingly helped Khamenei to assume the mantle of Supreme Leader despite the latter lacking Imam Ruhollah Khomeini's dark charisma and religious standing. Two, the choice of the successor must be made expeditiously.

The appointment of Mojtaba Khamenei, the second-oldest son of Khamenei, must be properly understood as Iran navigates an extremely complicated and dangerous period ahead. Succinctly put, Mojtaba represents continuity, while deeper down, the message is one of defiance.

Mojtaba never held elected office but had a ringside view—even participation—of high politics for decades as his father's trusted aide. What matters crucially and decisively in the present tumultuous backdrop of realpolitik is Mojtaba's close relationship with the Islamic Revolutionary Guard Corps, where he also served once as a young man. In sum, Mojtaba has literally landed while running. A WikiLeaks disclosure in the late 2000s cited US diplomatic cables describing Mojtaba as 'the power behind the robes', who was widely regarded as a 'capable and forceful' figure within the regime.

What lies ahead? The latest negotiations between the US and Iran in Geneva confirmed that Tehran is genuinely seeking peace and a settlement with the US in exchange for the lifting of sanctions. It is crystal clear from the disclosures by Omani foreign minister Sayyid Badr Al Busaidi, who mediated at Geneva, that a framework agreement was within reach when Trump broke loose under pressure from Netanyahu to have one more desperate fling at regime change.

However, much as Trump practises deception in the art of the deal, he has also signalled, in lengthy remarks on Monday, that he would be "willing to talk with Iran, but that depends on the terms". Trump said the war was going to "end soon". As he put it, "We took a little excursion because we felt we had to do that to get rid of some people. And I think you'll see it's going to be a short-term excursion. I think the war is very complete, pretty much... We've already won in many ways, but we haven't won enough. We go forward more determined than ever to achieve ultimate victory."

The massive destruction of the American bases in the region with his "armada" as mute witness and Tehran's capability to destroy Israel if push comes to shove are sobering thoughts. At any rate, Trump telephoned Russian President Vladimir Putin on Monday. Presidential aide Yury Ushakov later said Putin "set out a number of considerations aimed at achieving a prompt political and diplomatic settlement of the Iranian conflict".

Ushakov added, "I would note that a very substantive—and, I believe, useful—exchange of views took place on this matter. Overall... the conversation was highly substantive and will undoubtedly have practical significance".

Putin followed up with a call on Tuesday to Iranian President Masoud Pezeshkian, where he 'reaffirmed his principled stance in favour of de-escalating the conflict as soon as possible and resolving it via political means'.

Putin was the first world leader to congratulate Mojtaba on Monday. Putin stated in his congratulatory message, "At a time when Iran is facing armed aggression, your work in this high office will undoubtedly require great courage and dedication. I am confident that you will honourably continue your father's cause and unite the Iranian people in the face of severe trials.

"For our part, we would like to reaffirm our unwavering support for Tehran and solidarity with our Iranian friends. Russia has been and will remain a reliable partner of Iran."

Achieving 'ultimate victory' over Iran remains a pipe dream. Russian experts believe that a full-scale US invasion would require deployment to the tune of half a million ground troops. Trump's conversation with Putin could potentially help reduce tensions, and with public support in America for the war barely touching the one-third mark, it shouldn't be too difficult for Trump to return the situation to a 'neutral' level for a ceasefire, although the US suffered significant economic costs without achieving the stated objectives of the operation.

Indeed, domestic factors play a significant role in Trump's calculus, as his approval ratings have recently stagnated amid unresolved economic issues, primarily related to rising food prices. On Monday, oil prices shot up to $120 per barrel, compelling Washington to consider easing oil sanctions on Russia. Trump must be sensing that Operation Epic Fury is gradually spiralling out of control and needs to be reined in.

Moscow has not denied the reports that Russia has been transferring vital intelligence data to Tehran, causing massive destruction to American bases. Optics matter in diplomacy. Russia remains one of the few international players capable of facilitating the relaunch of the negotiation process, which increasingly seems in the cards, with Iran having pushed back the US-Israeli agenda of regime change.

(Views are personal)

'UNMAKING' OF PROTECTION

THAMIZHACHI THANGAPANDIAN
MP from South Chennai and member of the Standing Committee on Education, Women, Children, Youth & Sports

DEMOCRACY rarely collapses in spectacle. It erodes considerably quietly through notifications, amendments, withdrawals and administrative decisions that appear procedural but alter the Republic's moral grammar. Maharashtra's decision to scrap the five percent reservation for Muslims in education is one such moment.

Reservations in India were never conceived as charity. They were instruments of historical correction—acknowledgements that structural exclusion cannot be undone by mere declarations of equality. When the Constitution promised social, economic and political justice through special provisions in Article 15(4), it recognised that neutrality in an unequal society perpetuates inequality itself.

Maharashtra's Muslim quota had emerged from empirical findings. The Justice Rajinder Sachar Committee (2006) documented that Muslims in India lagged behind national averages in literacy, access to higher education, formal employment and public sector representation. Subsequent state-level backward class commissions in Maharashtra identified sections of the Muslim community as socially and educationally backward, forming the legal basis for targeted reservation in education.

National Sample Survey data have consistently shown higher dropout rates and lower access to professional education among Muslim youth, particularly in urban informal settlements. In such a context, affirmative action was a corrective policy grounded in measurable disadvantage.

Its removal, therefore, raises a deeper question: When evidence-based welfare becomes politically expendable, what message is sent to minorities about their place in the Republic?

Across India today, minorities increasingly experience governance as a source of uncertainty. Policies affecting citizenship, education, housing and employment have over the past decade produced an atmosphere where belonging feels conditional. The withdrawal of institutional support—symbolic or material—reinforces a perception that minority welfare is negotiable, while majoritarian comfort is stability.

History offers sobering reminders. Post-Independence India consciously rejected the idea of a majoritarian Nation-State despite the trauma of partition. Constitutional morality demanded reassurance to minorities that citizenship would never depend on political mood. Affirmative action, minority educational protections under Articles 29 and 30, and welfare targeting were instruments through which that assurance was operationalised.

The promise was simple yet profound: minorities would not live at the mercy of political moods. It is this promise that feels increasingly fragile.

The argument advanced by governments opposing such reservations often invokes the notion of a 'religion-neutral policy'. However, neutrality without social context becomes blindness. Indian jurisprudence has repeatedly clarified that backwardness may overlap with community identity when deprivation is historically entrenched. The Supreme Court itself has upheld that affirmative action must respond to social and educational indicators, not merely abstract categories.

AP

> Maharashtra's decision to scrap education quota for the Muslim community goes against extensive empirical findings on backwardness. It's prudent now to reaffirm that justice in India is not majoritarian arithmetic but a constitutional commitment. Tamil Nadu's own experience in social justice policies offers some instructive contrast

Tamil Nadu's own experience of social justice offers an instructive contrast. The Dravidian movement expanded affirmative action not to fragment society but to democratise opportunity. The reservation was understood as a social investment, not an electoral concession. The success of public education, representation in professions and upward mobility across communities stands as evidence that inclusion strengthens unity rather than weakening it. The Maharashtra government's decision also carries measurable consequences. Studies show that access to higher education significantly improves labour force participation among historically marginalised groups. Courts will now examine the legality of the withdrawal, following challenges before the Bombay High Court. Yet legality alone cannot answer the ethical question confronting us—whether the State is retreating from its proactive duty to equalise opportunity.

There is also a quieter consequence seldom discussed. Education is not merely a pathway to employment; it is a pathway to dignity. For first-generation learners, a college seat represents entry into the national imagination itself. Removing targeted support risks reinforcing cycles of exclusion that statistics alone cannot capture. The young student who never applies, the family that withdraws aspiration before opportunity arrives.

The defence of minority rights is, ultimately, a defence of constitutional morality. Today, it concerns Muslims in Maharashtra; tomorrow, it may concern any community rendered inconvenient to the politics of the moment. India's strength has always rested in its plural imagination.

The true test of democracy lies in how securely its minorities live without fear of dispossession. Reservation policies may evolve, methodologies may be debated and data must certainly guide reform. But withdrawal without credible alternative safeguards sends a troubling signal: that protections once granted can be revoked when political winds shift. At such moments, silence becomes complicity.

We must reaffirm a principle older than any government, that justice in India is not majoritarian arithmetic but a constitutional commitment. Social justice was never meant to be selective. The question before us is therefore larger than a five percent quota. It is about the Republic we are choosing to become, one that widens the circle of belonging, or one that slowly redraws it.

The Constitution chose the former. Our politics must find its way back there.

(Views are personal)

MAILBAG

WRITE TO: letters@newindianexpress.com

Expand reserves

Ref: *Cooler heads must act* (Mar 12). With a burgeoning vehicle population and the surge in oil and gas demand, there is a pertinent need to re-strategise in doubling the storage capacity of India's strategic petroleum reserves to meet eventualities arising during war-like contingencies. A cue can be taken from China.
R V Baskaran, Pune

Second chances

Ref: *An offer beyond the gun* (Mar 12). Telangana's approach of combining security operations with a genuine offer of rehabilitation deserves wider recognition. Force alone rarely ends insurgencies permanently. What brings people back is the credible promise of a dignified life.
K Sakunthala, Coimbatore

Varying trends

Ref: *Fashioned ruin* (Mar 12). Fashion trends contribute significantly to textile waste and pollution through dyeing processes. Given that India is a tropical country, the government should prioritise introducing the broader use of cotton fabrics. This will be environmentally suitable and provide essential support to cotton-growing farmers.
Lakshmi Aruna Gorthi, email

Abusing law

Ref: *The reach of State power* (Mar 12). Non-disclosure of reason for preventive detention is a bad precedent for law. Wangchuk protesting peacefully does not hinder national security. Application of the relevant provision by the detaining authority is more important than the provision itself.
Jayachandran C, Chennai

Wasted talent

Ref: *SC slams NCERT's 'casual' approach* (Mar 12). The direction to dissociate Danino, Diwakar and Kumar from government-funded agencies is sweeping and arbitrary—that too after the NCERT's unconditional apology. This reflects the court's intolerance. The named persons are competent domain experts, and thanks to the court's direction, their talents will be of no use anymore.
Hemanth Bhide, Mangaluru

Leaders' rapport

Ref: *'Enough LPG stock, no need for panic'* (Mar 12). Wouldn't it have been logical and prudent that the Prime Minister chaired the committee to monitor the gas shortage crisis? Since he knows the world leaders in personal capacity, it would have been easy for him to express India's position.
Hemachandra Basappa, email

THE NEW INDIAN EXPRESS
Chairman of the Board: **Manoj Kumar Sonthalia** Editor: **Santwana Bhattacharya**
Published by **N Gopalan** on behalf of Express Publications (Madurai) Private Limited, at No. 1, Queen's Road, Bengaluru - 560 001 and printed by him at Express Press, Plot No. 2A, Bommasandra Industrial Area, 4th Phase, Survey No. 46, Part Yarandahalli Village, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk. Bengaluru - 560 099. **Bengaluru.** Vol. 62, No. 62 RNI Reg. No. 3457/1960. Phone: 080-22866893. **Copyright:** Express Publications (Madurai) Private Limited. All rights reserved. Reproduction in any manner, electronic or otherwise, in whole or in part, without prior written permission is prohibited.

POSTS OF THE DAY

Yogi Adityanath @myogiadityanath
On this very day in the year 1930, the Dandi Salt Satyagraha under Mahatma Gandhi was the kindling of that flame in the Indian freedom struggle

Abhishek Banerjee @abhishekaitc
He came. He saw. He left. That, in its entirety, is the sum total of Vanish Kumar's much-hyped Bengal visit. The CEC had no answers to inconvenient questions

Bhagwant Mann @BhagwantMann
Today, appointment letters were distributed to 881 youngsters from various departments in Mohali. Since April 2022, our govt has provided 65,264 jobs

LoP stopped from speaking during discussion on energy crisis when he raises 'issues not linked to his notice' ● No member can speak without Chair's nod, says Birla

Fiery showdown as Rahul leaves House amid din

PREETHA NAIR @ New Delhi

IN a fresh showdown between the Opposition and the government, protests and sloganeering rocked the Lok Sabha after Speaker Om Birla stopped Leader of Opposition Rahul Gandhi midway through his speech over his remarks on Union Petroleum Minister Hardeep Singh Puri and his alleged link to the convicted sex offender Jeffrey Epstein.

The chaos erupted when Rahul Gandhi was speaking in Lok Sabha on the 'energy security' situation in the country. Asserting that the foundation of every single nation is its energy security, Gandhi alleged that the government has "bartered" to the US India's right to determine its relationships with different oil suppliers due to a "compromise."

The government had allowed a short discussion on the LPG gas and oil situation in the country following a notice submitted by Gandhi requesting the permission to make a statement on the issue. While Gandhi was invited to speak before Puri, Gandhi alleged that the war between the US-Israel and Iran was going to have far-reaching consequences. "The central artery from where 20% of global oil flows, the Strait of Hormuz, has been closed and this is going to have tremendous repercussions," he said. Gandhi then sought to link the issue of India's energy security with the US Department of Justice disclosures, evoking an uproar from the treasury benches.

"This is a very puzzling fact for me, this is a very puzzling fact as to why a nation the size of India would allow the President of any other nation to give us permission to buy Russian oil, to decide who our relationships are with," Gandhi said in an apparent reference to the US giving a 30-day waiver to buy oil from Russia. "This has been a puzzle... The puzzle is about compromise," he said and referred to Puri.

Birla asked Gandhi to speak on the notice he had given and not deviate. With Gandhi asserting that what he was saying was connected with energy security, Birla asked Puri to make his statement. The Speaker's decision triggered strong protests from Opposition members, who trooped into the well of the House raising slogans against Puri. While Puri continued speaking, Gandhi left.

LoP links crisis to US dept disclosure

The government had allowed a discussion on the LPG gas and oil situation in the country following a notice submitted by Gandhi requesting the permission to make a statement. While speaking on it, Gandhi linked the issue of India's energy security with the US Department of Justice disclosures, evoking an uproar from the treasury benches

Rahul Gandhi wears 'Konyak Naga ornaments' as Opposition MPs protest 'LPG shortage' on Thursday | PTI

POWER CORRIDOR

'SOCIAL COVER FOR 94 CR PEOPLE'

As many as 31 crore unorganised workers have enrolled in different sectors and have been brought under various social security schemes, the government informed the Rajya Sabha on Thursday. Replying to supplementary queries during Question Hour, Minister of Labour and Employment Mansukh Mandaviya said the International Labour Organisation has said that social security cover in India is 64%. "The Modi government has provided social cover to 94 crore people," he said.

'TREAT CANCER AS NAT'L PRIORITY'

BRS Rajya Sabha member B Parthasaradhi Reddy on Thursday urged the government to treat growing cancer-related issues as a national priority and take measures to deal with the matter, which is silently becoming a major public health emergency. Expressing concern over the growing cancer crisis in the country during the Zero Hour in the House, he said the number of cancer cases in India is rising sharply every year due to late detection, lack of routine screening and a low level of awareness.

Speaker is back, says House will continue to function under rules

PREETHA NAIR @ New Delhi

A day after the Lok Sabha rejected a no-confidence motion against Speaker Om Birla, he returned to the chair and asserted that the House functions strictly in accordance with rules and regulations and will continue to do so. The chair does not belong to any one individual but is a symbol of the prestige of the House, he stressed.

Addressing the House, Birla said he was grateful to the members of the House for the faith reposed in him during debate and thanked all those who spoke in favour of him as well as against him.

"The House has been running with rules and regulations and will continue to function in future, irrespective of whether it is acceptable to any member or not. I will continue to discharge my duty with all sincerity and impartiality," he said.

The Speaker shared that during the debate in the last two days, some members had said that the Leader of the Opposition was not given enough opportunities to speak, and he should be allowed to speak whenever he wishes and on any subject. "Everyone has the right to speak in the House, but they must follow the rules and regulations. No member, not even the PM, can speak without the permission of the chair. No member of the House has the privilege to speak at any time and on any subject," Birla said. Birla said the MPs have the freedom of speech in the House, but they must follow the norms.

He also trashed the claim that he turns off microphones of some members when they want to speak

Kharge seeks archaeological excavations of Buddhist monastery

No proposal to change name of Taj Mahal: Govt

The government has no proposal under its consideration to change the name of Taj Mahal, Minister of Culture Gajendra Singh Shekhawat told the Rajya Sabha on Thursday. Responding to a supplementary query by CPI-M's John Brittas on whether the government had any plans to change the name of Taj Mahal, Shekhawat said, "There is no idea of changing any name under consideration of the ministry."

PARVEZ SULTAN @ New Delhi

LOP in Rajya Sabha Mallikarjun Kharge on Thursday urged the government to undertake a detailed excavation of an ancient Buddhist monastery discovered in Karnataka's Kalaburagi.

The Congress president said in the Rajya Sabha that he had written to the government requesting for a survey and further excavation of the monastery believed to be connected with the spread of Buddhism during the Satavahana dynasty. He said Buddhism had spread from Amaravati towards Kalaburagi and Raichur during that period. Kharge said he had earlier requested a survey of the Buddhist monastery found in his constituency. The survey had been completed, but further excavation had not yet taken place. "Further excavation should be carried out. Many such Buddhist temples and symbols exist along these rivers," he said.

Responding to the demand, Union Culture and Tourism Minister Gajendra Singh Shekhawat said, "I give assurance that excavation activities will be taken to the next level."

He informed the House that the government is developing 15 excavation sites of archaeological importance into tourist centres. Earlier excavation sites used to be closed after scientific excavation but the Union Budget this year has made provision to develop archaeological sites into experience centres, he added.

WEST ASIA ON BOIL

EAM takes up maritime safety with Iran

JAYANTH JACOB @ New Delhi

EXTERNAL Affairs Minister S Jaishankar has discussed the safety of maritime shipping and India's energy security with his Iranian counterpart, Seyed Abbas Araghchi, amid rising regional tensions, the Ministry of External Affairs (MEA) said on Thursday.

Addressing a media briefing, MEA spokesperson Randhir Jaiswal said the latest conversation between the two leaders focused on maritime safety and energy supplies. "External Affairs Minister Dr S Jaishankar and the Foreign Minister of Iran have had three conversations in recent days. The last one discussed issues pertaining to the safety of shipping and India's energy security. Beyond that, it would be premature for me to say anything," Jaiswal said.

He was responding to questions about reports that Iran had allowed oil shipments meant for India to pass through the Strait of Hormuz. Commenting on reports of two ships passing through the strait, Jaiswal said he did not have clarity on the matter.

FILE PHOTO

The MEA also said that India is assisting its nationals in Iran who wish to leave through land borders with Azerbaijan and Armenia. "We've had about 9,000 Indian nationals who were there or are there in Iran. These include students, seafarers, business people, professionals and some pilgrims. Several Indian nationals, mostly students, have left the country and reached home," Jaiswal shared.

He added that many Indians, including students and pilgrims based in Tehran, had been moved to safer locations within the country. "We are also assisting Indian nationals who wish to travel to Azerbaijan and Armenia and take commercial flights from there to return home. We are assisting them with visas and land border crossings," he stated, advising Indians planning to leave Iran via land borders to follow the embassy's advisory.

Separately, the ministry said an Indian crew member aboard the US-owned crude oil tanker SafeSea Vishnu was killed on Wednesday after the vessel came under attack near Basra in Iraq. "The remaining 15 Indian crew have since been evacuated to a safe place. Embassy of India in Baghdad is in regular contact with Iraqi authorities and the rescued Indian sailors and is offering all possible assistance," the spokesperson said. The MEA had earlier confirmed that two Indian nationals were killed and one remains missing after merchant vessels they were serving on were attacked in the region.

Air space restriction, AI seeks DGCA approval to extend pilot flying hours

S LALITHA @ New Delhi

WITH the West Asia crisis forcing all planes from India to take a circuitous route to avoid Iranian airspace, the Air India has recently requested the DGCA to provide it a temporary exemption for its international pilots from the Flight Duty Time Limitation (FDTL) rules, according to sources.

Notably, IndiGo underwent a major operational crisis in December last year after it could not meet the revised FDTL rules. Operations were crippled for nine days and the impact continued throughout the month. The DGCA finally ended up giving it an exemption from the rules for the airline to get its act together.

"We have asked for exemption only until the West Asia crisis subsides. Due to the closure of the Pakistani airspace since last year and now the Iranian airspace, our flights to Paris, Frankfurt, Amsterdam, Vienna and Copenhagen are forced to take a circuitous route. They fly via Oman, south of Saudi Arabia and then Egypt before heading to these European destinations. The flying time to each of these cities has shot up by a few hours, " a source said.

Another source said there is only a limited pool of available pilots. "Ever since the West Asia crisis erupted, Air India has earmarked three pilots instead of two for every London flight. A similar standard needs to be adhered to for all our international flights which used to go via West Asian airspace. Hence, we need some kind of exemption," the source said.

The new FDTL rules mandate weekly rest periods of 48 hours to pilots from the 36 hours of rest in the past. DGCA did not respond to calls and text messages on the AI's request.

First batch of students to India on way to Armenia

Indian students stuck in Iran received messages from FlyDubai airline on Thursday, confirming that their flights would take off from Armenia to Dubai this week. Three bus loads of students accompanied by Indian Embassy officials later left for Armenia from Qom and Urmia cities . They would leave for Dubai from Yerevan airport and take the flight to Mumbai (March 14) or to Delhi (March 15).

Independent milk producers, vendors told to obtain mandatory registration

KAVITA BAJELI-DATT @ New Delhi

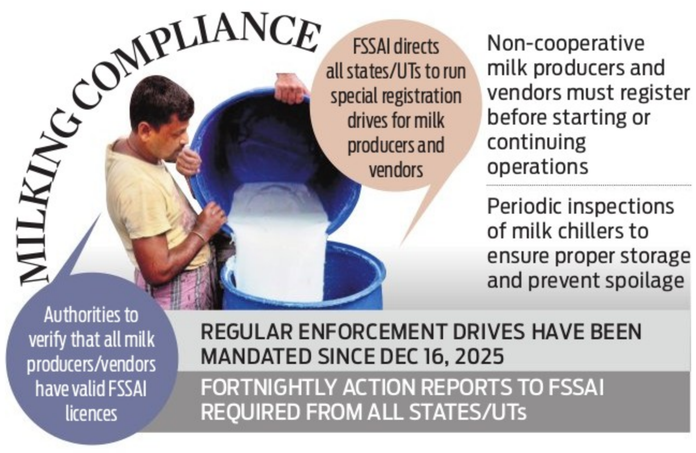
IN the wake of 13 deaths in Andhra Pradesh due to adulterated milk, the Food Safety and Standards Authority of India (FSSAI) has directed all states and UTs to conduct special registration drives to ensure that all milk producers who are not members of dairy cooperative societies obtain the requisite registration or licence.

In an advisory, FSSAI Executive Director (CS) Satyen Kumar Panda said it has come to the authority's notice that certain milk producers who are not members of dairy cooperative societies, as well as milk vendors, are operating without registering or obtaining a licence to carry out food business activities.

"All milk producers (other than those who are registered members of a dairy cooperative society under the Cooperative Societies Act and supply or sell the entire milk to the society) and milk vendors are hereby advised to mandatorily register themselves with FSSAI before commencing or continuing their operations," the letter issued March 11 said. "In view of recent incidents involving suspected adulteration of milk in all states/UTs, strict compliance with registration/licensing requirements shall be ensured," the letter added.

Notably, as many as 13 people died while seven others, including three infants, remain in a critical condition, after consuming adulterated milk in Andhra Pradesh. The incident came to light on February 22 after many elderly citizens developed symptoms including anuria, vomiting, abdominal pain and acute renal dysfunction requiring dialysis.

The FSSAI further directed enforcement authorities of the Centre and all states/UTs to instruct the concerned Designated Officers/Central Licensing Authorities and Food Safety Officers to verify that all such milk producers and milk vendors possess a valid registration certificate or licence.


MILKING COMPLIANCE
FSSAI directs all states/UTs to run special registration drives for milk producers and vendors
Non-cooperative milk producers and vendors must register before starting or continuing operations
Periodic inspections of milk chillers to ensure proper storage and prevent spoilage
Authorities to verify that all milk producers/vendors have valid FSSAI licences
REGULAR ENFORCEMENT DRIVES HAVE BEEN MANDATED SINCE DEC 16, 2025
FORTNIGHTLY ACTION REPORTS TO FSSAI REQUIRED FROM ALL STATES/UTs

Blood donation ban on LGBTQ+ to stay, SC told

SUCHITRA KALYAN MOHANTY @ New Delhi

THE Centre on Thursday informed the Supreme Court that after deliberations and review, it has decided to retain the ban on blood donations by the LGBTQ+ community.

The Centre told a bench of CJI Surya Kant and Justices Joymalya Bagchi and Vipul M Pancholi that following the SC's direction passed last May to reconsider the blood donation rules on LGBTQ community, experts have reconsidered the issue. "There is a reconsidered opinion that if this ban is diluted, it will be injurious to others," Additional Solicitor General Aishwarya Bhati said.

The top court was hearing three pleas challenging the 2017 guidelines that exclude transgender individuals, men having sex with men, and female sex workers from being blood donors. During the hearing, senior advocate Jayna Kothari, appearing for the petitioners, said the "discriminatory" guidelines put a blanket ban on transgenders from donating blood. The CJI asked, "Tell us one good reason why we should issue such a direction." The bench said there are millions of poor people who utilise the facility of blood banks, and they can't afford private hospitals. "Even if there is a 1% chance of any infection, why should they be affected?" the CJI asked.

The petitioners' counsel said that while there should not be even 1 per cent risk to anybody, once blood is donated by any person, the same is tested, which includes HIV testing.

The counsel said there could be a heterosexual person whose blood may also be risky. The bench, which termed it a "luxury litigation", admitted the pleas for a hearing.

The Centre said the guidelines challenged in the petitions were issued by the National Blood Transfusion Council, which viewed these categories as high-risk and barred them from donating blood. The pleas have challenged the 2017 Guidelines on Blood Donor Selection and Blood Donor Referral issued by the National Blood Transfusion Council and the National Aids Control Organisation.

ALSO IN TOP COURT

Plea to bring back Netaji's ashes junked

The Supreme Court on Thursday refused to entertain a plea filed by the grand nephew of Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose seeking directions to bring back to India the ashes believed to be those of Bose from Tokyo's Renkoji temple. The bench permitted him to withdraw the petition upon his request to do so.

No ₹1 cr to lawyer for bid to 'save' ex-CJI

The Supreme Court on Thursday dismissed a plea filed by an advocate who sought a direction to the Centre to pay him ₹1 crore as fee and expenses for filing six cases in 2018 to "save" then CJI Dipak Misra. A bench headed by Chief Justice Surya Kant said the petition was "totally misconceived".

Lokpal moves SC against HC order on Moitra

SUCHITRA KALYAN MOHANTY @ New Delhi

THE Lokpal on Thursday approached the Supreme Court for clarification on points of law and procedure, following the Delhi High Court's earlier decision setting aside its November 12 order that had granted the CBI sanction to file a chargesheet against TMC MP Mahua Moitra in the cash-for-query case.

The CJI-led bench is expected to hear the Lokpal's plea on Friday. The Delhi High Court had, on December 19, 2025, quashed the Lokpal's order granting the CBI sanction to file a chargesheet against Moitra in connection with the case. The verdict followed a plea filed by Moitra challenging the Lokpal's November 12 order.

The cash-for-query case involves allegations that Moitra asked questions in the House in exchange for cash and gifts from a businessman.

TOURIST TAX

Jharkhand cabinet on Thursday approved several proposals, including a tax to be levied on tourists staying at hotels in urban areas and a ₹276.49 crore fund to construct libraries in 23 districts.

5 GUJARAT — MEN ON RUN AFTER SHOOTING 50-YR-OLD

INDIA	Max	Min		Max	Min
Ahmedabad	27	14	Mumbai	28	23
Bhopal	26	10	Panaji	32	20
Jaipur	23	11	Patna	17	09
Amritsar	12	06	Lucknow	18	09
Chennai	28	21	Port Blair	28	24
Kolkata	23	14	Imphal	22	10
Srinagar	09	-3	Chandigarh	17	09

CONSUMERS WORRY IN STATES

> If the situation continues, we will have to close out hotels and restaurants and lay off staff. We are considering a shift to Chinese cuisine, as it takes less fuel to cook compared to the Indian cuisine
>
> Ashwani Bamba, Prez, Dharamshala hotel assn

> We do not know how to survive in Mumbai. Therefore, we request that the ongoing state Assembly session be wrapped up early, so that the MLAs can go back to their own places and live comfortably
>
> An MLA from Maharashtra

While state governments take action on cylinder hoarding, ordinary users either are not getting refills or paying a hefty price. Situation is not likely to ease, fear commercial users

FIRs, raids and job loss amid 'all well on LPG' front

MUKESH RANJAN, RAMASHANKAR, SUDHIR SURYAWANSHI, PRASANTA MAZUMDAR, ANURAAG SINGH AND HARPREET BAJWA
@ New Delhi, Patna, Mumbai, Guwahati, Bhopal and Chandigarh

THE war in West Asia has created an uncertain situation around the supply of liquefied petroleum gas (LPG) in the country, with panic gripping domestic consumers, commercial entities going innovative to find alternative ways of cooking, profiteers trying to make a kill and the Centre and state governments issuing directives to bring normalcy.

Taking note of the difficult situation in the Strait of Hormuz, where oil tankers are not being able to cross without disruption, the Ministry of Home Affairs has issued an advisory to states and Union territories, directing them to ensure adequate security at LPG infrastructure and take strict action against hoarding and black marketing of cooking gas cylinders. The advisory was reiterated during a nearly two-hour virtual meeting chaired by Union Home Secretary Govind Mohan with chief secretaries and director generals of police.

While common people are braving the LPG shortage throughout the country, in Maharashtra, it has hit the legislators, so much so that it has affected the budget session of the state assembly. The canteen that supplies food to MLAs and their staffers during the session has stopped serving food due to the shortage. BJP minister Radhakrishna Vikhe Patil said that he could be served tea only after his staff procured an LPG cylinder from a known person. "After that, our cook prepared the tea and food. It was not a big issue, as we somehow managed it," Patil said.

An MLA from rural Maharashtra said that the disruption in supply of gas to the canteen has become a problem for legislators. "We do not know how to survive in Mumbai. Therefore, we requested that the ongoing state Assembly session be wrapped up early so that they can go back to their own places and live comfortably," said the MLA, requesting anonymity.

Congress leader Nana Patole visited the Mumbai port and said that over 1,500 containers had been stuck there for the last two weeks. "This has resulted in a big fall in the prices of fruits and vegetables. Most of these containers filled with fruits and vegetables were scheduled to go to the UAE and other countries in the region. This will hit the farmers badly," he said.

In Bihar, the administration said that it was monitoring the situation. Patna district magistrate Thiyagrajan S M said that the LPG domestic gas consumers faced no problems, as any laxity, negligence or irregularity would not be tolerated. He added that instructions have been issued to immediately register FIRs and arrest guilty agencies upon receipt of complaints regarding black marketing, hoarding or sales at inflated prices. The Patna administration has issued a helpline number to aid domestic consumers.Acting upon the instructions, the Bihar police acted against the delivery person of a gas agency on Thursday. The police registered an FIR against one Mukesh, following a complaint by an LPG consumer in the Patna Sadar sub-division, who booked an LPG cylinder and received a message that it had been delivered. However, the consumers said that the cylinder was never delivered.

The authorities conducted a surprise inspection at a gas agency in Phulwarisharif, which is of the state capital, and found the operator to be missing. The district magistrate ordered sealing of the office of the agency, and the police filed an FIR.

The Patna administration has formed 28 teams for conducting raids at the block level for the resolution of consumers' complaints and preventing hoarding. The block supply officers, block supply inspectors and assistant district supply officers have been deployed as nodal officers in these teams.

Madhya Pradesh traders are looking to benefit from the West Asia crisis and the subsequent shortage of LPG supply. Small traders have started offering refills on mini-LPG gas cylinders in Bhopal and Sagar. Teams of the Bhopal and Sagar district administrations and the state government's Food and Civil Supplies Department raided two such spots in Ashoka Garden and Gandhi Nagar areas of the city, where unscrupulous elements hoarded cooking gas cylinders. They seized 47 cylinders from Bhopal and Sagar districts in the last two days.

The raiding teams found that some of the accused were using these cylinders to refill small cylinders and making a profit of up to ₹600 per big cylinder. A senior police official said, "We are investigating the intermediary channels, including cooking gas agencies, which are behind the supply of the LPG cylinders to these refillers of mini cylinders. Cases will soon be registered via the district administration in both the seizures under the Essential Services Act, 1955."

While other states are feeling the crunch badly, Assam seems to be sitting out oddly. A tea buyers' body has said that the unrest in West Asia could boost demand in the instant beverage segment, including tea bags. The Guwahati Tea Auction Buyers' Association said, "A potential shortage of LPG supply in parts of India could create an unexpected opportunity for the country's instant beverage segment, with industry observers expecting a rise in demand for instant tea products."

India consumes more than one billion cups of tea every day, making it one of the largest tea-consuming nations. However, a disruption in the cooking fuel, especially LPG, can quickly influence how tea is prepared across homes, offices and several commercial establishments.

Industry observers note that even a small change in preparation method can significantly increase demand for instant tea and tea premix products, a segment that currently accounts for only a small share of India's overall tea market. Dinesh Bihani, secretary of the association, said, "Preparing traditional Indian chai requires a gas stove, milk and around five to 10 minutes of preparation time. In situations where LPG becomes scarce or expensive, many users are shifting toward alternatives, such as electric kettles, hot-water dispensers and tea vending machines, which require only hot water."

According to him, large institutional consumers—such as offices, factories, hospitals, transport hubs and catering services—are usually the first to adapt to fuel disruptions. Instead of preparing tea on gas stoves, many adopt vending machines that use premix sachets. "A single vending machine in an office can serve 200–500 cups of tea per day, which means that large institutions can shift thousands of cups daily from traditional preparation to premix-based systems," Bihani said.

However, there is a downside as well, as tea from Assam's gardens is in high demand in West Asian countries, including in Iran. An estimated 41 per cent of India's total tea consignments are shipped abroad through the Strait of Hormuz. The current disruption in this region can hurt exports, including from Assam.

In Punjab and its neighbouring state Himachal Pradesh, the acute shortage of commercial LPG cylinders has forced the hotel industry to cut down on their trademark elaborate menus and provide "limited menu" options. The hoteliers are also trying to shift to traditional cooking, involving wood-based ovens. Many in the hotel industry have warned that if the situation persists, the sector could see layoffs soon. In Punjab, the concept of big, fat weddings is facing a crisis, with wedding planners considering simplified buffet menus.

Talking with this newspaper, Gajindra Chand Thakur, president of the Federation of Himachal Hotels and Restaurant Association, said that there are around 7,500 hotels in the hill state, which have decided to offer a limited menu with only two to three items and a non-vegetarian dish due to the shortage of the commercial LPG cylinders.

Ashwani Bamba, president of the Dharamshala Hotel Association, said that the situation has become critical. "If the situation continues to be like this for a few more days, we would have no option but to close out hotels and restaurants and lay off the staff. We are considering changing the menus and shifting to Chinese cuisine, as it takes less fuel to cook compared to the Indian cuisine. Dal and roti take much more energy to cook; thus, gas is wasted. We are also planning to put bakery items, like cake and sandwiches, on the menu," he said.

In Punjab, as marriage venues start opting for austerity measures, prebooking of venues is off the shelf, and "conditional bookings" are being offered, which do not include elaborate menus, which used to be the signature features of Punjabi weddings. The marriage venues have removed snacks from the offerings; simplified buffet menus; stopped live counters at weddings, which have labour-intensive live cooking stations; and have restricted function hours.

Punjab has approximately 16,000 hotels and restaurants and nearly 6,000 marriage venues. Satish Arora, president of the Hotel Restaurant and Resort Association of Punjab, said, "Our industry is on the verge of shutdown. A commercial cylinder that usually costs around ₹1,700 is now being sold for up to ₹3,000 in the black market. We have started making alternate arrangements by switching to diesel burners and wood-based tandoors."

1 Maharashtra farmers are facing a drop in prices. About 1,500 containers of vegetables & fruits, which are meant for West Asia, are stuck at the Mumbai port for the last two weeks, said Congress leader Nana Patole.

2 MP govt has seized 47 gas cylinders from hoarders in Bhopal and Sagar districts in the last two days. They are accused of refilling mini-cylinders and booked an illegal profit.

3 Assam tea growers may see profit. India consumes more than a billion cups of tea daily. Even if a fraction shifts to tea bags or pre-mix, it is likely to benefit, says Guwahati Tea Auction Buyers' Association.

4 In Bihar, the admin said that it was monitoring the situation. Patna district magistrate said directions have been issued to register FIRs and arrest guilty who practice hoarding.

Big, fat Punjabi weddings go small and thin

Due to non-availability of commercial LPG cylinders, marriage venues in Punjab have opted for austerity measures. Menu list has been shortened, elaborately cooked dishes have gone off the stalls and live cooking counters have been stopped. Satish Arora, president of the Hotel Restaurant and Resort Association of Punjab, said, "Our industry is on the verge of shutdown. A commercial cylinder that usually costs around ₹1,700 is now being sold for up to ₹3,000."

People across states queue up for LPG cylinders amid supply shortage even as the government says the country has enough stock of fuel

PATNA DIARY

RAMASHANKAR
Our correspondent in Bihar
ramashankar@newindianexpress.com

Nitish saga to continue in Upper House now

Contrary to common perception, Chief Minister Nitish Kumar has maintained his momentum as head of the government. He filed nomination papers for the upcoming Rajya Sabha polls and is expected to take an oath as its member likely on April 10. At present, he is touring various districts of the Kosi-Seemanchal region. He is listing out achievements made by his government in the last two decades and also not forgetting to target his 'bete noire' Lalu Prasad, for allegedly indulging in corruption and promoting dynasty politics. Recently, his son, Nishant Kumar, also joined JD (U) and is tipped to be made deputy CM in the new government.

Retired Army officer named new governor

Syed Ata Hasnain, a retired Indian Army officer, has been appointed as the new Governor of Bihar. He replaced Arif Mohammad Khan, who served for one year and two months. Hasnain arrived in Patna ahead of the swearing-in ceremony scheduled for March 14. The Chief Justice of the Patna High Court will administer his oath of office. Before being appointed as the governor, Hasnain had worked in the Indian Army for nearly four decades. His appointment has triggered a political debate, as the centre wants to set up an army base in the Seemanchal region, and plans are underway to drive out illegal infiltrators from the region.

Rebel Cong leaders plan protests on March 17

Rebel Congress leaders will hold demonstrations before the state party headquarters, Sadaqat Ashram, in Patna on March 17. They will also organise the "Save Bihar Congress Mahasammelan" on the same day. Former AICC member Anand Madhav stated that the Bihar Congress is going through a period of corruption, chaos, and anarchy. He alleged that the party's support base is steadily shrinking due to certain 'agents' and power brokers operating within the party. He said that they will not allow Congress to be mortgaged in Bihar. Madhav, along with six other leaders, was earlier expelled for anti-party activities.

BJP firms up strategy for Bengal, Kerala polls

RAJESH KUMAR THAKUR @ New Delhi

THE Central Election Committee (CEC) of the BJP on Thursday deliberated on the strategy and selection of candidates for assembly elections in the opposition-ruled West Bengal and Kerala. The meeting, held at the residence of Prime Minister Narendra Modi, was attended by Home Minister Amit Shah and party national president Nitin Nabin, among others.

According to BJP sources, the meeting reportedly finalised candidates for 140–145 seats for the Bengal polls. The discussions included constituency-wise reviews, feedback from state leaders and organisational inputs collected over several months. "We have a solid people-centric strategy for Bengal and Kerala, as the people want a change. We fight elections in any state for the people and their development," said a senior member of CEC.

The CEC discussed 155–160 seats in Bengal, and around 100 seats in Kerala were reportedly discussed. The candidates finalised for 145–150 seats in Bengal are expected to be announced soon after the Election Commission declares the poll schedule, likely after March 16–17. "For the 294-member Bengal assembly, the BJP has decided to announce candidates first for the seats which the party lost by a small margin last time and also in constituencies with more minority voters. This will give candidates ample time for electioneering and consolidating their positions," said a party leader.

Sources said the party leadership may not prefer to drop MLAs who have maintained strong organisational presence and voter outreach in their constituencies. "The PM emphasised that the winnability factor should remain the primary consideration, along with the candidate's connection with the people and grassroots presence," the party leader said.

Sources said the CEC also finalised candidates for nearly 100 constituencies in Kerala. BJP strategists expressed confidence that with a carefully selected candidate list, targeted campaigning and grassroots mobilisation, the party aims to expand its electoral base in Kerala.

Candidates for 145 seats in West Bengal, 100 in Kerala finalised

The BJP's Central Election Committee on Thursday finalised candidates for 140–145 seats for West Bengal assembly polls and around 100 for Kerala, say party sources. The poll panel meeting, held at the residence of Prime Minister Narendra Modi, was attended by Home Minister Amit Shah and party national president Nitin Nabin, among others. The candidates will be announced after the EC declares poll dates.

TWO-PHASE POLLS LIKELY, DATE MAY BE OUT ON MON

SUBHENDU MAITI @ Kolkata

AMID the buzz of the imposition of President's Rule in West Bengal, the Election Commission of India (ECI) is expected to announce dates of assembly polls in the state on 16 March, a few days after Prime Minister (PM) Narendra Modi addresses the concluding rally of 'Paribartan Yatra' organised by BJP at the Brigade Parade Ground in Kolkata on 14 March.

The assembly polls in Bengal are likely to be held in two phases, according to ECI sources. The first phase is likely to begin mid-April. Apart from Bengal, the commission may also announce dates for assembly elections in four other states—Assam, Tamil Nadu, Kerala and Puducherry—on the same day. Meanwhile most of the political parties in Bengal had urged the ECI to conduct the elections in one or a maximum of two phases.

"Conducting assembly elections in West Bengal in two phases would help check poll-related violence as miscreants would not get the time to move from one place to another to create disturbances," a senior officer said.

'God saved me, I mistook gunshots for firecrackers': Farooq flags security lapse

FAYAZ WANI @ Srinagar

FORMER J&K Chief Minister Farooq Abdullah, who survived an assassination attempt at a marriage function in Jammu on Wednesday, said that God saved him as he initially mistook the gunshots for firecrackers. Talking to reporters at his Jammu residence after the assassination attempt, Abdullah said, "While I was walking out of the venue, I heard the sound of a firecracker. I thought somebody must have burst a cracker, as it is normal in marriage functions. But I felt warmth in my neck. I didn't know what had happened. ".

He said that his security personnel acted swiftly after the shots were fired, and "I was immediately rushed into a car. Later, I was told that there was a man with a pistol who had fired two shots," he said.

"When the attacker fired the second bullet, my security guard tried to pull his hand away, and he lost balance; the pistol pointed upwards, and the bullet was fired," Abdullah said.

The attacker has been identified as 63-year-old Kamal Singh Jamwal from Purani Mandi in Jammu. Responding to the attacker's claim that he had wanted to kill him for the past 20 years, Abdullah said, "I neither know this man nor have any information about him. I don't know what his motive was or what kind of rivalry he had."

"I have never wronged anyone. Even when I was the CM, I treated everyone with respect. I have never harboured hatred for anyone. I don't know what rivalry he had with me," Abdullah added.

OIL PALM INDIA LIMITED

Regd. Office:XIV/130, Kottayam South P.O., Kodimatha, Kottayam - 686 013. Phone: 0481-2567104 Fax: 0481-2561 442 Website:www.oilpalmindia.com E-mail: md@oilpalmindia.com

E - Tender Notice

OP/SEC/SL/86/5168 11-03-2026

Competitive E-Tenders are invited for the work of cleaning all effluent ponds at Palm Oil Mill and to take away the sludge oil mixture recovered.

E Tender ID 2026_OPIL_846266_1.

Last Date 26-03-2026 6.55 PM.

Sd/-
Sr.Manager (Commercial)

PUBLIC NOTICE

The public are hereby notified that our client intends to purchase the agricultural land bearing **Sy.No. 15/2,** in Baradi Village, Kasaba Hobli, Nelamangala Taluk, Bangalore Rural District, measuring 23 Guntas (14+9 Guntas) and anybody having objection or any claims thereover, may submit such objections to the undersigned, within **15 days** hereof, along with the copies of all the documents being relied upon, failing which, my client will proceed to purchase the property regardless of any such claims or objection.

Muchandi & Co.
Advocate and Solicitors
G-1, Tasker Park Apts., #10, Park Road, Tasker Town, Bangalore-560051.
M: 080-41713335, 9883345555

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Public are hereby informed that, my client **BANK OF BARODA,** Whitefield Main Road Branch, Bangalore, represented by its Senior Manager, has lost the original Sale Deed dated 02.05.2013 bearing Document No:BNG(U)-VRT/467/2013-14 of Book I, registered in the office of the Sub-registrar, Varthur Bangalore, pertaining to the title of one Smt. Mamatha Eruva and Sri. Ramana Reddy T., The Bank has lodged a Complaint with the jurisdictional Police Station on 25.02.2026. If anybody found, be sent to my following address.

B. SUBRAYA KHARVI, Advocate,
No. 231, 11th Main, 37th Cross, 4th T Block, Jayanagar, Bangalore.

INDIAN RAILWAYS INSTITUTE OF FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS
Moula Ali, Secunderabad-500040

IRIFM — INDIAN RAILWAY FINANCE CORPORATION

Advertisement No. 001/2026/IRIFM PUB/2098

(For the post of Chair Professor in Accounts & Financial Management at IRIFM)

IRIFM invites applications from distinguished professionals for the position of Chair Professor in Accounts & Financial Management at the Indian Institute of Financial Management (IRIFM), Ministry of Railways, Government of India for a duration of 02 Years (Extendable based on performance and mutual agreement).

Information on Qualifications, Eligibility, Remuneration and online application link is provided on the IRIFM Website at:
https://irifm.indianrailways.gov.in/website/announcementsrecruitments. php
The last date for submitting applications is **06.05.2026**

A2662 **Director General/IRIFM**

TAMILNADU POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

CHENNAI-32

Tender Notice No: T3/TNPCB/F.026078/SI. Appeal No. 23633-23634 of 2010/2026, Dt.12.03.2026

E-tender (2-cover system) through TN etenders' website are invited for **"Carrying Out Comprehensive Environmental Audit for the Palar River in Tamil Nadu"**

The tender documents can be downloaded from https://tntenders.gov.in and www.tnpcb.gov.in on or after **13.03.2026.** The last date for the receipt of the tender is **12.04.2026.**

DIPR/1756/TENDER/2025 **CHAIRPERSON**
Tamilnadu Pollution Control Board, Chennai - 600032

All the news. In just a click. Log to www.newindianexpress.com
/thenewindianexpress @newindianexpress +The New Indian Express
GET IT ON Google Play Download on the App Store

HDFC BANK LIMITED

Regd. Office: HDFC Bank House, Senapati Bapat Marg, Lower Parel (West), Mumbai - 400013
Branch: #51, HDFC House, Kasturba Road, Bangalore 560 001
Tel:-080-41183000 CIN L65920MH1994PLC080618 Website: www.hdfcbank.com

E- AUCTION SALE NOTICE (Sale through e-bidding only)

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

The Authorised Officer of **HDFC Bank Limited** (erstwhile HDFC Limited having amalgamated with HDFC Bank Limited by virtue of a Scheme of Amalgamation approved by Hon'ble NCLT-Mumbai vide order dated 17th March 2023) (HDFC) issues E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) indicated in Column (A) that the below described immovable property(ties) described in Column (C) mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the constructive / physical possession of which has been taken as described in column (D) by the Authorised Officer of **HDFC Secured Creditor, will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is"** as per the details mentioned below :

Notice is hereby given to Borrower / Mortgagor(s) / legal heirs, legal representatives (whether known or unknown), executor(s), administrator(s), successor(s) and assign(s) of the respective Borrower(s) / Mortgagor(s)(since deceased), as the case may be, indicated in **Column (A) under Rule 8(6)** of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002.

For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in Secured Creditor's **website i.e. www.hdfcbank.com**

	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D &E)	(F&G)
Sl No	Name/s of Borrower(s)/ Mortgager(s)/ Guarantor(s)/	Outstanding dues to be recovered (Secured Debt) (Rs.)*	Description of the Immovable Property / Secured Asset (1 Sq. mtr. is equivalent to 10.76 Sq.ft)	Date of Auction and Time ---- Type of Possession	Reserve Price (Rs.) ---- Earnest Money Deposit (Rs)
1	**Mr. Venkatesh S (Borrower)**	**Loan A/c No.: 614778967 Rs.8,71,028/- (Rupees Eight Lakhs Seventy One Thousand Twenty Eight Only) as on 16.09.2025**	All that piece and parcel of the immovable property being a residential Apartment bearing **FLAT 303-B5** in on the third floor of Block B5 of the BDA Flats developed by Ban**galore Development Authority in the Alur layout having super built up area of** 44 sq. mtrs (473.44 sq.ft. apprx.) and carpet area of 40 sq. mtrs.(430.4 sq.feet.) and situated at Survey Number 113 in Village Yelahanka Rural, Alur, Yelahanka, Bengaluru.	**27.04.2026 12.00 PM to 12.30 PM ---- Physical**	**Rs.13,00,000/- [Rupees Thirteen Lakhs Only] ---- Rs.1,30,000/- [Rupees One Lakhs Thirty Thousand Only]**
2	**Miss. Das Dipanjali (Borrower)**	**Loan A/c Nos: 702156711 Rs.41,73,425/- (Rupees Forty One Lakhs Seventy Three Thousand Four Hundred and Twenty Five Only) as on 31.07.2024**	All that piece parcel of flat bearing **No. F-6**, on the **First Floor,** having super built up area of **840 Square Feet,** in the building known as inclusive of **PRABHAVATHI PARAMOUNT 'A' Block** (which is inclusive of proportionate share in balconies, common amenities, common amenities, common areas attributable thereto and limited access to terrace area i.e., from the lift room to the water tank for the purpose of repairs), with RCC Roofing, Vitrified Tile Flooring, Windows etc., together with **208 Sq.ft** undivided share of right, title, interest and ownership in Sy.No. 108/2 situated at Kammasandra Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore district and **one covered car parking space** in the stilt floor and bounded on the: **East by :** Open Space, **West by** : Open Space, **North by :** Corridor, **South by :** Open Space.	**27.04.2026 12.00 PM to 12.30 PM ---- Physical**	**Rs.43,20,000/- [Rupees Forty Three Lakhs Twenty Thousand Only] ---- Rs.4,32,000/- [Rupees Four Lakhs Thirty Two Thousand Only]**
3	**Mr Anandaraaj (Borrower)**	**Loan A/c No: (1) 632814533 Rs.39,08,451/- (2) 633320147 Rs. 1,13,612/- Total Amount : Rs.40,22,063/- (Rupees Forty Lakh Twenty Two Thousand Sixty Three Only) as on 31.10.2023**	**Schedule A:** All that piece and parcel of residential converted land bearing **Sy. Nos. 115/1 & 115/2, measuring 1 Acre 20 Guntas,** situated at Madiwala Village, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District and an apartment Building constructed thereon comprising of Stilt, Ground and Three Upper Floors consisting of 100 flats together with all rights appurtenances whatsoever whether underneath or above the surface and bounded on the: **East by** : Sy No. 94, **West by** Sy No. 114 and 117, **North by** : Sy No. 95 belongs to Revanna, **South by** : Sy No. 116 belongs to Vakil Layout and Sy. No. 126. **Schedule B:** All that piece and parcel of **Flat bearing No. 017 at Block B in Ground Floor,** e Khatha No. 150200101800621797, measuring **799.08 Sq.ft.**, carpet area consisting of **2 Bed Rooms** with RCC roofing. Vitrified Flooring in Living Room, Wooden door for Main Door and aluminum windows, including proportionate share in common area such as passage, lobbies, staircase, contained in the residential apartment complex known as **"VAKIL MAGNOLIA APARTMENT"** with **1 car parking space** exclusively earmarked for the sole use and enjoyment of the Purchase r/s. **East by** : Open Space, **West by :** Open Space & Portion of Corridor, **North by :** Flat No - C 018, **South by :** Open Space.	**27.04.2026 12.00 PM to 12.30 PM ---- Physical**	**Rs.33,00,000/- [Rupees Thirty Three Lakhs Only] ---- Rs.3,30,000/- [Rupees Three Lakhs Thirty Thousand Only]**
4	**Smt. Mamatha Santhoshima A G (Borrower)**	**Loan A/c No (1) 653831034 : Rs.26,45,761/- (2) 656938647 : Rs.30,002/- Total Amount Rs.26,75,763/- (Rupees Twenty Six Lakh Seventy Five Thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty Three Only) as on 29.02.2024**	**Schedule A:** All that piece and parcel of the residentially converted immovable property bearing **Survey No. 120/3,** of surdenupura village, Hesargatta Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk Measuring 8. Guntas Vide Conversion Endorsement No.ALN: (N.A.H)SR/9/2010-11 dated 30-07-2010 more fully described in the Schedule- A. Hereunder and hereinafter referred as Schedule-A Property having purchased by the developer under a registered sale deed registered in the Sub-Registrar Office, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore has got building plan sanctioned from BIAPPA Vide TP-03CC-177/2011-12 dated 23/11/2011 for construction of residential Apartment in an area of 8784 Sqft in Schedule-A Property. and bounded on: **East by :** Munithimma's Land, **West by :** Channappa`s Land, **North by :** Remaining Owners Land, **South by :** Road. **Schedule B: East by:** Open Space, **West by :** Unit-1 (Flat No.F-001), **North by:** Open Space, **South by :** Unit-3 (Flat No.F-003), **391.00 Sqft** undivided share, right and title and interest in the Schedule A Property, with One Residential Apartment / Flat bearing **No. F-002** (1 BHK) **First Floor** with super built-up area approx. of **729.50 Sq ft with car parking area.**	**27.04.2026 12.00 PM to 12.30 PM ---- Physical**	**Rs.28,05,000/- [Rupees Twenty Eight Lakhs Five Thousand Only] ---- Rs.2,80,500/- [Rupees Two Lakhs Eighty Thousand Five Hundred Only]**
5	**Mr. Gupta Naresh Kumar (Borrower)**	**Loan A/c Nos. (1) 686526161 Rs.93,13,748/- (2) 687348887 Rs. 2,21,950/- Total Amount Rs. 95,35,698/- (Rupees Ninety Five Lakhs Thirty Five Thousand Six Hundred Ninety Eight Only) as on 30.04.2024**	**Schedule A :** All that piece and parcel of the Property, converted land vide orders of conversion bearing Nos. (a) B.Dis. ALN (A)/SR/ 366/2004/2005 Dated. 28/01/2005, (b) B.Dis. ALN (A)/SR/365/2004-05 dated. 28/01/2005 and (c) B.Dis. ALN (A)/ (K & A) SR. 184/2005-06, bearing **Sy. No. 6/1** measuring extent of **1 Acre 11 Guntas** in the converted land portion of P. Krishnappa, the LAND OWNER No. 1, an extent of 1 Acre 4 ½ Guntas in the converted land portion of P. Lakshmana, the LAND OWNER No. 4 and an extent of 1 Acre 3 ½ Guntas in the converted land portion of P. Ananda Murthy, the LAND OWNER No. 7 respectively and in all 3 Acres 19 Guntas which is conjoint together situated at Kammasandra Village, Athibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District and **bounded on the: East by :** Govt. Halla, **West by :** Ananthanagar Layout, **North by** : Ananthanagar Layout & remaining portion of Sy. No. 6/1 belonging to Lakshmana, **South by :** Remaining portion of Sy. No. 6/1 and 60' Road. **Schedule B :** A Three Bedrooms Flat / Apartment bearing **Flat No. D-002,** on the **Ground Floor of D-Block** of the building known as **"AAKRUTI AMITY"** Constructed in the Schedule-A Property with a super built up area of **1520 square feet** with a terrace area of **310 sq.ft** adjacent to the flat (which is inclusive of proportionate share in balconies, common amenities, common areas attributable thereto and limited access to terrace area i.e., from the lift room to the water tank for the purpose of repairs), with RCC Roofing, Vitrified Tile Flooring, Aluminium Windows etc., together with **554 Sq.ft** undivided share of right, title, interest and ownership in Schedule-A Property and one Surface covered car parking space in the Ground and **bounded on the: East by :** Flat No. D-003, **West by :** Lift & Flat no. D-SA-01, **North by :** Corridor, **South by :** Open Space.	**27.04.2026 12.00 PM to 12.30 PM ---- Physical**	**Rs.1,09,24,000/- [Rupees One Crore Nine Lakhs Twenty Four Thousand Only] ---- Rs.10,92,400/- [Rupees Ten Lakhs Ninety Two Thousand Four Hundred Only]**
6	**Mr. Dennis Edwin (Borrower)**	**Loan A/c No. 1) 654874191 Rs.43,22,987/- 2) 656922651 Rs.3,58,813/- Total Amount: Rs.46,81,800/- (Rupees Forty Six Lakh Eighty One Thousand Eight Hundred Only) as on 28.02.2025**	**Schedule A:** All the piece and parcel of the Property bearing Sy Nos. 30, 31 & 32, measuring 13 Acre 01 Guntas, situated at Adigarakallahalli Village, Sarjapur Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban, within the revenue jurisdiction of BMRDA, Bangalore, in the Project called as 'La-Ville Township', and bounded on, **North by :** Survey No 28 and 29, **South by :** Survey No 47, **East by :** Survey No 142 and 145, **West by :** Survey No 177. **Schedule B:** All the piece and parcel of Residential Plot bearing **No.147,** having E-Khatha No. 150200102700422822 No. 248/147 being residential Plot measuring East to West 12.190 mts North to South 9.140 mts, in all measuring **111.42 Sq. Mtrs** in the Schedule 'A' Property situated at Adigarakallahalli Village, Sarjapur Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban and bounded on: **East by :** Road, **West by :** Site No. 174, **North by :** Site No. 148, **South by :** Site No. 146.	**27.04.2026 12.00 PM to 12.30 PM ---- Physical**	**Rs.60,30,000/- [Rupees Sixty Lakhs Thirty Thousand Only] ---- Rs.6,03,000/- [Rupees Six Lakhs Three Thousand Only]**
7	**Mrs. Singh Nidhi (Borrower) and Mr. Singh Sudipt Narayan (Co-Borrower)**	**Loan A/c No. 633756933 Rs.22,49,816/- (Rupees Twenty Two Lakh Forty Nine Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixteen Only) as on 31.01.2025**	**Schedule A: Part A:** The Residential project presently named **"Provident Park Square"** sanctioned by the Bangalore Development Authority vide approval no. 4142/2016-17 dated 26.12.2016 located on all that piece and parcel of non agricultural land converted for residential use bearing Survey Numbers 3/3, 7, 8, 9/2A, 9/2B1, and 26/1(P) Collectively measuring approximately 74,458 square meters (Seventy Four Thousand Four Hundred Fifty Eight) Situated in Mallasandra Village (off Kankanpura Main Road), Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore Urban District, Bangalore - 560 062; bounded on the: **East by :** Holiday Village Road, **West by :** 8th Main Road, Judicial Layout, **North by :** Sy. Nos. 3/1, 3/2 and 9/1, **South by :** Sy. Nos. 8/2 and 26/1. **Part B: Building number 7** (seven) as shown on the sanctioned plan and located at the northern entrance of **"Provident Park Square",** sanctioned for commercial development and being developed and constructed as an independent development by the Promoters; and being separate and independent from the development of the Provident Park Square Project. **Schedule B:** That portion of all that piece and parcel of land comprising the Towers in the project presently named **"Provident Park Square"** sanctioned by the Bangalore Development Authority vide approval no. 4142/2016-17 dated 26.12.2016 located on non-agricultural land converted for residential use bearing Survey Numbers 3/3, 7, 8, 9/2A, 9/2B1, and 26/1(P) measuring approximately 21791.54 sauare meters (Twenty One Thousand Seven Hundred Ninety One {decimal} Fifty Four) situated in Mallasandra Village (off Kankanpura Main Road), Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore Urban District, Bangalore -560 062; bounded on the: **East by :** Land relinquished for Road, **West by :** Portions of Sy. No. 3/3, Sy.No.7, and Sy. No. 8/1, **North by** : Sy. No. 3/1, Sy. No. 3/2, and Sy. No.9/1, **South by :** Sy. No. 8/2, portions of Sy. No. 9/2B1, and Sy.No.26/1(P). **Schedule C:** The Apartment bearing **No. 701** on the Seventh Floor of Tower 1D in Building B1 of Phase - 1 of the Project (shown as B1-1D Tower in the Sanctioned Plan) having a Carpet Area of 33.37 sq. meters. along with **One Open Parking Space(s)** bearing No. B1-1D-701 with a proportionate undivided interest in the Common Areas of Phase 1 of the Project with the non-exclusive right to use the Common Amenities and Facilities of Project.	**27.04.2026 12.00 PM to 12.30 PM ---- Physical**	**Rs.38,00,000/- [Rupees Thirty Eight Lakhs Only] ---- Rs.3,80,000/- [Rupees Three Lakhs Eighty Thousand Only]**
8	**Ms. Bindushree R (Borrower)**	**Loan A/c No: 661622628 Rs.38,48,814/- (Rupees Thirty Eight Lakh Forty Eight Thousand Eight Hundred and Fourteen Only) as on 31.03.2024**	**Schedule A:** All the piece and parcel of the Property bearing Sy Nos. 30, 31 & 32, measuring 13 Acre 01 Guntas, situated at Adigarakallahalli Village, Sarjapur Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban, within the revenue jurisdiction of BMRDA, Bangalore, in the Project called as 'La-Ville Township', and bounded on, **North by :** Survey No 28 and 29, **South by :** Survey No 47, **East by :** Survey No 142 and 145, **West by :** Survey No 177. **Schedule B:** All the piece and parcel of Residential **Plot bearing No.53,** having E Khatha No. 150200102700422486, No.248/53 being residential plot measuring East to West 12.132 mts North to South 9.080 mts, in all measuring 110.16 Sq. Mtrs in the Schedule 'A' Property situated at Adigarakallahalli Village, Sarjapur Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban and bounded on : East by : Park, **West by:** Road, **North by :** Site No.54, **South by :** Site No. 52.	**27.04.2026 12.00 PM to 12.30 PM ---- Physical**	**Rs.44,46,000/- [Rupees Forty Four Lakhs Forty Six Thousand Only] ---- EMD Rs.4,44,600/- [Rupees Four Lakhs Forty Four Thousand Six Hundred Only]**
9	**Mr. Das Dhanesh (Borrower) Mrs. Gopalakrishnan Reshma (Co-Borrower)**	**Loan A/c No. 666799574 Rs.59,99,705/- (Rupees Fifty Nine Lakhs Ninety Nine Thousand Seven Hundred and Five Only) as on 31.05.2025**	**SCHEDULE PROPERTY:** All that piece and parcel of converted property bearing E-Khatha No. 150200102500420023 (Old V.P. Khatha No. 2296/ 111/1 111/2 153 152 160 164), with Sy. No. 152 measuring 25 guntas, Sy. No. 153 measuring 1 acre, Sy. No. 160 measuring I acre 10 guntas, Sy. No. 111/1 measuring 5 acres 24 guntas, Sy. No. 111/2 measuring 2 acres 12, guntas, of Suragajakkanahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk and Sy. No. 164 measuring 20 guntas of Sidi Hosakote Village, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, totally measuring 11 acres 11 guntas bounded on: **East by :** Border of Honnakalasapura and Sidi Hosakote Villages, **West by** : Remaining portion of Sy. No. 111/1 and Remaining portion of Sy. No. 21, **North by :** Remaining portion of Sy. No. 21 and Sy. No. 55, **South by :** Road. SCHEDULE A: **Item No. 1(Sy No.111/2):** All that piece and parcel of the converted land bearing **Sy. No. 111/2** of District, Suragajakkanahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District, measuring 2 Acre P12 Guntas (converted vide Official Memorandum on ALN (A)(K&A)/SR/ 148, 149, 270/2007-08 dated 26.02.2008 and bounded **East by** : Property of Goshalappa and Ramaiah's Land, presently Maddurappa's Land, **West by** : Ramaswamy's land, **North by** : Kenchappa's Land; **South by :** Previously Doddachinnaiah's land, presently Munithayamma's Land; **Item No.2(Sy No.160):** All that piece and parcel of the converted lands in Sy. No. 160 of Suragajakkanahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District measuring 1 acre 10 guntas (converted vide Official Memorandum No. ALN (A) (K & A) SR/61/2014-15 dated 10/11/2014 and bounded on: **East by :** Sidihoskote Village Boundary and Sri C. Ajay Kumar Land, **West by** : Sy. No.152, **North by** : Remaining portion of Sy. No.21, **South by :** Sy. No.111/2 belonging to Sri C. Ajay Kumar. **SCHEDULE B:** All the piece and parcel of site property allotted **No. 149,** PID No. 150200102500420534, Khatha No.2493/149 in the layout known as "CK ADIITHYA" (layout plan approved by Anekal Planning Authority No.APA/LAO/112/14-15 dated 20/08/2016 and Release order no. STRRPA/TP/LAO/01/2017-18 dated 14/06/2017 issued by Satellite Town Ring Road Planning Authority) and Amalgamation and Bifurcation No.STRRPA/TP/Amalgamation & Bifurcation/03 /2021-22 (issued by Satellite Town Ring Road Planning Authority) dated 24.08.2021 measuring East to West: 12.19 Meters or 40 feet, and North to South: 12.19 Meters or 40 feet, totally measuring 148.60 Square Meters or 1600 square feet, standing on Schedule A' Property of Suragajakkanahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District bounded on: **East by :** Site No. 141 and 142,**West by** : 9MTR Wide Road, **North by** : Site No. 148, **South by :** Site No. 150.	**27.04.2026 12.00 PM to 12.30 PM ---- Physical**	**Rs.1,24,00,000/- (Rupees One Crore Twenty Four Lakhs Only) ---- Rs.12,40,000/- (Rupees Twelve Lakhs Forty Thousand Only)**
10	**Mr. Das Sujoy (Borrower)**	**Loan A/c No. 1) 629860479 Rs.24,62,255/- 2) 630168479 Rs. 85,676/- 3) 657416477 Rs.2,66,106/- Total Amount Rs.28,14,037/- (Rupees Twenty Eight Lakhs Fourteen Thousand Thirty Seven Only) as on 31.05.2025**	**Schedule A: 1.** All that piece and parcel immoveable property bearing **Survey No. 168** situated at Madivala (Bandapura) Village, Marsur Post, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District, totally measuring Two Acres and bounded as follows; **East by :** Road; **West by** : Private Property; **North by** : Survey No. 169; **South by** : Remaining portion of land Survey No. 168. **2.** All that piece and parcel immoveable property bearing **Survey No.169,** situated at Madivala (Bandapura) Village, Marsur Post, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District, totally measuring 31 Guntas (only 18 Guntas used for the project) and bounded as follows; **East by** : Road; **West by** : Private Property; **North by** : Remaining portion of land in Survey No.169; **South by:** Remaining portion of Gowramma's Land in Survey No. 168; Schedule B: West Facing, Apartment **No. 109** on the First Floor of Block "C" of the residential apartment complex known as **"SIPANI JARDIN"** constructed upon Schedule "A" Property having measuring **65.49 Square Mtrs** of carpet area (705 Square Feet) and 85.93 Square Mtrs (925 Square Feet) super built-up area consisting of Two bed rooms, hall, kitchen, balconies and toilets and 3.25 Square Mtrs (35 Square Feet) of garden area and proportionate 40.17 Square Mtrs (432.39 Square feet) of undivided share, title and interest in the land comprised in Schedule A Property, with **One Covered car parking space** at Stilt floor and proportionate interest in the common areas such as passages, lobbies, lifts staircases and other common facilities. **PID No. 150200101800622575.**	**27.04.2026 12.00 PM to 12.30 PM ---- Physical**	**Rs.35,00,000/- (Rupees Thirty Five Lakhs Only) ---- Rs.3,50,000/- (Rupees Three Lakhs Fifty Thousand Only)**
11	**Mrs. K Swathi (Borrower) & Mr. C Ramachandra (Co-Borrower)**	**Loan A/c No: 1) 634854038 Rs.41,05,455/- 2) 634854193 Rs. 7,66,350/- 3) 635821951 Rs. 1,42,387/- Total Amount Rs.50,14,192/- (Rupees Fifty Lakh Fourteen Thousand One Hundred and Ninety Two Only) as on 28.02.2025**	**Schedule- A:** All that piece and parcel of property bearing **Site No.B-18 & B-19, old House list Katha No.92/39 & 92/40**, present BBMP Katha Nos.66 & 67, situated at Kodigehalli Village, K R Puram Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, presently under the Administrative Jurisdiction of BBMP, measuring East to West 124.7 feet and North to South 78.65 feet, totally measuring **9800 Sq. feet,** and bounded on: **East by** : Site No. B-17, **West by :** Road, **North by** : Road, **South by** : Site No. B-38 & B-39. **Schedule- B: 350 Sq. Feet** undivided interest in the immovable property mentioned in Schedule 1 above. **Schedule- C:** Apartment bearing **No.103, in the First Floor** measuring **1390 Sq.feet** Super Built up Area, containing three bed rooms, and **one covered Car Parking Space,** including proportionate share in common areas such as passages, lobbies, staircase, contined in the multistoried building to be constructed on the Schedule 1 Property known as **"SAI TEJA GARDEN".**	**27.04.2026 12.00 PM to 12.30 PM ---- Physical**	**Rs.53,82,000/- (Rupees Fifty Three Lakhs Eighty Two Thousand Only) ---- Rs.5,38,200/- (Rupees Five Lakhs Thirty Eight Thousand Two Hundred Only)**
12	**Mrs. Shwetha Sachin Sirur** Wife of Mr. Sachin Mohan Sirur (Borrower) [since deceased] **Master. Samarth Sachin Sirur** Son of Mr. Sachin Mohan Sirur (Borrower) [since deceased] Represented by Natural Guardian Mrs. Shwetha Sachin Sirur, **Mrs. Geetha Mohan Sirur** Mother of Mr. Sachin Mohan Sirur (Borrower) [since deceased] **And other known and unknown Legal Heir(s) of Mr. Sachin Mohan Sirur (Borrower)** [since deceased] Legal Representative(s), Successors and Assigns of Mr. Sachin Mohan Sirur.	**Loan A/c Nos. (1) 605552063 Rs.30,92,321/- (2) 623159515 Rs.11,56,605/- Total Amount Rs.42,48,926/- (Rupees Forty Two Lakh Forty Eight Thousand Nine Hundred and Twenty Six Only) as on 30.11.2024**	***Larger property:*** All that Property measuring **2,86,407 sq. feet** (less 49,482 sq. feet surrendered to Bangalore Development Authority) in Sy.No.97/2C (previously Sy.No.97/1) and 98 of Yeshwanthapura Village, Bangalore Taluk and later on the said Property coming within the jurisdiction of Bangalore Mahanagara Pallke is assessed for municipal property taxes and assigned with Municipal Nos.9/36 and 9/36/2 and clubbed into one Municipal No.9/36, situated in Tumkur Road, Yeshwanthpura, Bangalore and bounded by: **East :** Service Road, Office of RNS Motor Unit II, Property bearing Municipal No.28/11; **West :** Plywood Factory, Sasikiran Investment, Property bearing Municipal No.36/1 Viswas Apartment Complex bearing Municipal Nos. 10/1/9 and 10/1/10; **North :** Steel Construction Factory and Suman Sugiamma Plastic Ltd., Property bearing Municipal No.10 and other Properties; **South :** Bangalore - Tumkur Road; ***Schedule A:*** All that Property measuring **1,67,601 Sq. Ft.,** forming portion of Larger Property and bearing Municipal Nos.9/36 and 9/36/2 and clubbed into one Municipal No.9/36 situated in Tumkur Road, Yeshwanthpura, Municipal Ward No.2, Jalahalli, Bangalore and bounded by:- **East :** Service Road and Property bearing Municipal No.28/11 ; **West :** Property bearing Municipal No.36/1 ; **North :** Property bearing Municipal No. 10 ; and **South :** Commercial Building described in Schedule 'F herein. ***Schedule B:*** **462 Sq. feet** Undivided share, right, title, interest and ownership of land in Schedule 'A' Property. ***Schedule C:*** All that Residential Apartment bearing **No.C-101 in First Floor of 'C Block,** in the Project **"VAISHNAVI NAKSHATRA'** being built in Schedule A' Property and totally measuring **1699 Sq. Feet of super built up area** approximately, inclusive of proportionate share in common areas such as passages, lobbies, lifts, staircases and other areas of common use and with right to use **One Covered Car Parking Space** in the Lower/Upper Basement Floor or in Ground Level and the apartment is bounded by: **East :** Entrance, Lobby and Staircase in First Floor in "C Block of VAISHNAVI NAKSHATRA1, **West :** Open towards Open Space in "C Block of VAISHNAVI NAKSHATRA1, **North :** Open towards Open Space in "C Block of VAISHNAVI NAKSHATRA1, **South :** Lift Lobby and Apartment No.C-104 in First Floor in C Block of "VAISHNAVI NAKSHATRA1. The walls are built out of Solid Blocks and Cement with RCC Roofing and Vitrified/Ceramic Flooring and it has electricity, water and sanitary connections. The Door sets are of engineering doors and windows are aluminium windows.	**27.04.2026 12.00 PM to 12.30 PM ---- Physical**	**Rs.1,75,50,000/- (Rupees One Crore Seventy Five Lakhs Fifty Thousand Only) ---- Rs.17,55,000/- (Rupees Seventeen Lakhs Fifty Five Thousand Only)**
13	**Mr. D Balamurali krishna (Borrower) Mrs. V Bhavani (Co-Borrower)**	**Loan A/c No. 645091666 Rs.34,87,211/- (Rupees Thirty Four Lakh Eighty Seven Thousand Two Hundred and Eleven Only) as on 28.02.2025**	**Schedule A:** All that piece and parcel of a portion of the converted land bearing Survey Number 48 measuring 20 Guntas converted vide the Order dated 06.11.2013, in Official Memorandum bearing No.ALN (EVH) SR/156/13-14, passed by the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore, situated at Munnekolala Village, Varthur Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Bangalore, with all rights, appurtenances whatsoever hereunder or underneath or above the surface, along with all rights, present and future, if any, which may be accrued upon the said property, and bounded on the: **East by :** Thubarahalli Village Border, **West by** : Road, **North by** : Road, **South by** : Private Property being developed in the name of **'Saranya Enclave'** **Schedule B: 247 Square feet** undivided right, title and interest in the immovable property mentioned in Schedule "A" above. **Schedule C:** Flat bearing **No.402, in the Fourth Floor,** measuring about **1075 Square feet** super built up area, containing Two Bed rooms, together with RCC Roofing, Vitrified flooring together with One covered car parking space, including proportionate share in common areas such as passages, lobbies, staircase, etc., in the multistoried residential building complex known as **"NIRVASA MOONLIGHT"** constructed over Schedule "A" Property.	**27.04.2026 12.00 PM to 12.30 PM ---- Physical**	**Rs.74,70,000/- (Rupees Seventy Four Lakhs Seventy Thousand Only) ---- Rs.7,47,000/- (Rupees Seven Lakhs Forty Seven Thousand Only)**

1. Inspection Date & Time: 02.04.2026 and 09.04.2026 between 11.AM TO 4.PM
2. Minimum bid increment amount: Rs. 35,000/-
3. EMD Amount Submission on or before : 23.04.2026 (Before 5.00 PM)
together with further interest as applicable, incidental expenses, costs, charges etc. incurred till the date of payment and / or realisation thereof.
The online auction will be conducted on the web site https://biddeal.in of our auction agency M/s Valuetrust Capital Services Pvt Ltd.,
For any assistance related to inspection of the property, or for obtaining the Bid document and for any other queries, please get in touch with Mr.Yogesh.N / Shridhar Chinni, official of HDFC Bank Limited through Tel No.080-41182283, 080-41182126 / 9449080072 / 7795853045
To the best of knowledge and information of the Authorized Officer of HDFC, there are no encumbrances in respect of the above immovable properties / Secured Assets.
However there is dues payable to builder "Provident Park Square" who have developed the project and dues Subject to Flat-B1-ID-701. - This is aplicable Sl No.7 Property only)

Date : 13.03.2026
Place: Bangalore

For HDFC Bank Ltd.
Sd/- Authorized Officer of HDFC Bank Ltd. under SARFAESI Act, 2002

Iran ramps up strikes as new leader signals no let-up

IDF SAID IT HIT A CRITICAL NUCLEAR SITE NEAR TEHRAN; OIL JUMPS TO $100 PER BARREL, STOCKS SINK WORLDWIDE WITH NO CLEAR END OF WAR IN SIGHT

DUBAI

IRAN continued its missile attacks on Gulf neighbours across the region and Israel on Thursday, the 13th day of the war, as its newly-elected supreme leader Mojtaba Khamenei vowed to continue attacking Gulf neighbours till its objectives are achieved.

The IDF said it hit a "critical" nuclear site near Tehran. The site near Tehran, identified by the military as the Taleghan compound, was hit during waves of strikes, IDF said on Thursday.

Iran said it wants to ensure that a war will not be imposed again on it in the future, deputy foreign minister Majid Takht-Ravanchi told AFP. "We want to see that war is not going to be imposed again on Iran," said Takht-Ravanchi in an interview in Tehran. Iran's Revolutionary Guards vowed to keep the strategic Strait of Hormuz closed. The minister also rebuffed US claims and said Iran is not laying mines in the Strait of Hormuz.

An oil tanker burns after being hit by an Iranian strike in the ship-to-ship transfer zone at Khor al-Zubair port in Iraq | AP

German shipowners Hapag-Lloyd said that one of their cargo vessels in the Gulf caught fire after being "hit with shrapnel" overnight, adding that no one was injured. Only vessels from China and a a few countries that Iran has recognised were allowed to pass through the Strait of Hormuz. "Some countries have already talked to us about passing the strait and we have cooperated with them," said Takht-Ravanchi. The International Maritime Organization (IMO) announced an "extraordinary session" next week to discuss threats to shipping in the Middle East and particularly in the Strait of Hormuz.

WAR WATCH

The US military has said it is "not ready" to escort tankers through the critical Strait of Hormuz because all its assets are focused on striking Iran. The Israeli military moved further into southern Lebanon, telling residents to "move immediately north of the Zahrani River", 40 kilometres (25 miles) from the Israeli border. It said Iran-backed Lebanese group Hezbollah had launched "approximately 200 rockets" towards it overnight, in what it said was the biggest barrage of the war so far.

A series of powerful explosions hit western Tehran, an AFP journalist said. Blasts were also heard over Jerusalem, AFP journalists said, as the Israeli military reported missiles fired from Iran. Dubai reported a drone attack and fallen debris in two locations while Kuwait's airport was damaged in yet another strike on the facility. Brent crude jumped more than nine percent to as high as $101.59 a barrel, while West Texas Intermediate was also up more nine percent to hit $95.97. *AP*

SHIPS FAKE CHINA LINKS TO AVOID ATTACKS

HONG KONG

SOME commercial ships near or in the Strait of Hormuz and Persian Gulf have declared themselves as China-linked since the Iran war began, marine traffic data show, as their operators apparently try to reduce risks of being targeted in attacks.

At least eight vessels in or near the Persian Gulf and the Gulf of Oman changed their declared destination signals to short messages such as "China Owner" or "China owner&crew," according to data on the ship tracking platform MarineTraffic analySed by *The Associated Press*.

"The main goal of vessels publicly identifying themselves as 'Chinese' while transiting the Gulf or the Strait of Hormuz is primarily to reduce the risk of being attacked rather than to facilitate passage through the strait itself," said Ana Subasic, a trade risk analyst at data and analytics firm Kpler, which owns MarineTraffic.

Some of the vessels passed through the strait and headed for their destinations. Others were still in the area. Iran and affiliated groups have generally avoided targeting ships linked to China, Subasic said, given China's relatively neutral stance and stronger economic ties with Iran.

"The message is more like 'do not mistake me for the kind of ship you said you would hit,'" said Kun Cao, client director at consulting firm Reddal. Iranian attacks on vessels in the Persian Gulf and the wider region have particularly raised concerns among shippers. At least 19 commercial ships around the region had been damaged in the war as of Thursday.

Most of the eight vessels identified by MarineTraffic were not China-flagged, flying flags such as Panama and the Marshall Islands. But Reddal's Cao said a ship's flag often "has little to do with the owner's nationality."

While many bulk carriers are linked to China through ownership, operations or cargo, whether declaring such ties helps avoid attacks remains unclear, said ING economist Rico Luman. *AP*

Hezbollah launches 200 rockets at Israel in biggest attack since war began

MAJD EL-KROUM

ISRAEL's military said Hezbollah had fired around 200 rockets at Israel the night before, in what it described as the Lebanese armed group's "biggest barrage" since the war began. "Last night, Hezbollah timed a simultaneous attack with Iran, firing rockets and drones at towns and communities across Israel," military spokesman Lieutenant Colonel Nadav Shoshani told journalists in a briefing. "The numbers (are) approximately 200 rockets, approximately 20 UAVs (drones), and combine those with ballistic missiles that were being fired from Iran at the same time." Shoshani said "this was Hezbollah's biggest barrage" since the start of the war.

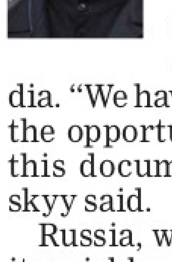
But he added that "we had a good aerial defence and rapid response, resulting in minimal casualties, only two or three direct hits... and a few civilians that were lightly injured". The Israeli military has been battling Tehran-backed Hezbollah since the group began firing rockets into Israel on the second day of joint US-Israeli strikes on Iran. An AFP team visited a house in an Arab village close to the town of Majd el-Kroum in northern Israel with a large hole blown through the living room ceiling. Standing among the rubble, owner Khalil Khalil told AFP that air raid sirens sounded as his family of nine was sipping coffee after the evening meal to break their Ramadan fast. A projectile struck their house as they were heading towards the safest room, but fortunately only caused light injuries to several of them. *AFP*

Drone deal: Ukraine awaits White House nod

KYIV

UKRAINE is awaiting White House approval for a major drone production agreement proposed by Kyiv last year, Ukrainian President Volodymyr Zelenskyy said on Thursday, as countries scramble to modernise their air defenses after the Iran war exposed shortcomings.

The proposed US-Ukraine deal would cover various types of drones and air defenses that operate as a single system capable of protecting against swarms of hundreds or even thousands of Iranian-designed Shahed drones and missiles, Zelenskyy said in a message on social media. "We have not yet had the opportunity to sign this document," Zelenskyy said.



Russia, which invaded its neighbor just over four years ago, has fired more than 57,000 Shahed drones at Ukraine, the Ukrainian Foreign Ministry said earlier this week. It launched more than 800 drones and decoys in its biggest nighttime barrage of Ukraine. Iran has responded to joint US-Israeli strikes by firing the same type of drones at targets in the West Asia.

A Patriot air defence missile costs $3–$4 million, while a Shahed drone costs about $130,000–$150,000, Zelenskyy said, noting the US produces 60–65 Patriot missiles a month. *AP*

IN THE COURT OF THE HON'BLE I ADDL. CITY CIVIL AND SESSION JUDGE AT BENGALURU (CCH -2)

OS. No. 4435/2025

BETWEEN : Mr. Vijaya Kashi S/o. Late. Manja Bhatta K, Aged about 72 years, R/at. No.200/7, Mahanidhi, Shambhavi Street, Sun City Road, Kengeri Satelite Town, Bengaluru -560060. ...Plaintiff

AND : Smt. K.T. Rathnamma and others ...Defendants

NOTICE TO DEFENDANT NO.1 BY WAY OF SUBSTITUTED SERVICE THROUGH PAPER PUBLICATION UNDER ORDER 5 RULE 20-A OF THE CODE OF CIVIL PROCEDURE, 1908,

1. Smt. K. T. Rathnamma W/o, Sri. Nagaraj P D/o. K.T. Thimmanna, Aged about 70 years, R/at No.353, 1st Main, 10th Cross, Saraswathipuram, Nandini layout, Bengaluru -560096. **...Defendant No.1**

Whereas, the above-named Plaintiff has filed the above-mentioned suit against the Defendants seeking for Declaring that the Judgement and Decree dated 29/06/2020 passed by this Hon'ble Court in O.S.No.9461/2007 based on the compromise petition dated 29/06/2020 entered into between Defendants No.1 to 7 inter se amongst themselves is not binding on the Plaintiff and Declaring that the Final Decree dated 08/09/2022 passed by this Hon'ble Court in Final Decree proceedings bearing no. 173 of 2021 is not binding on the Plaintiff and Restraining the Defendants No. 1 to 7, their legal heirs, agents, servants, assigns or any other person acting under their authority or through them by a permanent injunction from alienating creating third party interest or interfering with the Plaintiff's peaceful possession and enjoyment of the Suit Schedule Properties and Pass any other Judgement or Decree that this Hon'ble Court may deem fit in the interest of justice and equity. You are hereby summoned to appear before this Hon'ble Court (CCH-2) either in person or through a pleader to answer the claim of the Plaintiff on **08/04/2026 at 11.00 A.M.,** failing which the case will be heard and decided Ex-Parte on merits.

SCHEDULE A PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the immoveable property comprised in Sy. No. 200/4 measuring 1 acre and 29 guntas, situated at Kengeri Village, Bangalore South Taluk, converted for non agricultural purpose by conversion order bearing number ALN:SR:(S):236: 1994-95 dated 20.07.1995 and ALN:(S):SR (KT):7/2004 05 dated 17.08.2004 and is bounded on the **East by :** Magadappa's land and Muniswamaiah's land, **West by :** Kaverappa's land, Arundathi Nagar Sun City, Nandan Garden Road Kengeri Upanagara **North by :** Muniswamaiah's land and Thayappa's land, and **South by :** Venkatappa's land,

SCHEDULE B PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the immoveable property comprised in Sy. No. 200/6 measuring 14 gantas situated at Kengeri Village, Bangalore South Taluk, converted for non-agricultural purpose by conversion order bearing number ALN:SR:(S):236: 1994-95 dated 20.07.1995 and ALN:(S):SR:(K.T): 7/2004-05 dated 17.08.2004 and is bounded on the:-
East by : Land belonging to Chikkappayyanna,
West by : Madivalara Magadappa's land,
North by: Magadappa's land, and,
South by: Railwayline,

SCHEDULE C PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the immoveable property comprised of agricultural lands in Sy. No. 200/7 measuring 13 guntas, situated at Kengeri Village, Bangalore South Taluk and bounded on the:-
East by : Government lake,
West by : Muniswamaiah's land,
North by : Kaverappa's land, Arundathi Nagar Sun City, Nandan Garden Road, Kengeri Upanagara and
South by : Railway Road,

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND THE SEAL OF THIS COURT ON THIS 04TH DAY OF March 2026.

By Order of the Court
Sd/- Senior Sheristedar
City Civil Court, Bangalore

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-II
BSNL Building (Fourth Floor)
Telephone House, Raj Bhawan Road, Bengaluru- 560 001
(See Sections 25 to 28 of the Recovery of Debts Due to Bank and Financial Institution Act 1993 read with II Schedule to the Income Tax Act, 1961)

RC No. 697/2019
in T.A No. 1697/2017
(O.A No. 611/2016)

BETWEEN : Union Bank of India (Erstwhile Corporation Bank) Koramangala Branch. ...CERTIFICATE HOLDER/CHB

V/s Mr Solomon Raja & Another. ...CERTIFICATE DEBTORS/CDs

1. Mr Solomon Raja S/o Sabary Ranjan Flat No F-D, 1st Floor, Topaz Terrace R.K Township, Yarrandanahalli Village Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru **2. Mrs Leesha** W/o Solomon Raja Flat No F-D, 1st Floor, Topaz Terrace R.K Township, Yarrandanahalli Village Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru ...CERTIFICATE DEBTORS/CDs

Whereas in execution of certificate RC No. 697/2019 in T.A No 1697/2017(O.A No 611/2016) issued by the Presiding Officer, Debts Recovery Tribunal, Bangalore the undersigned has ordered the sale of the under mentioned properties.

You are hereby informed that the day on or after the fifteenth day from the date of service of this notice has been fixed for drawing up the proclamation of sale and settling the terms thereof, you are requested to bring to the notice of the undersigned any encumbrances, charges claims or liabilities attaching to the said properties or any portion thereof.

Schedule "A" Property as per RC

All that piece and parcel of the immovable property comprising residentaial sites bearing numbers 445 & 446(as shown in the approved Layout plan bearing No BMRDA/LAO/063/2004-05 dated 27.01.2005 issued by the BMRD) carved out of Sy No 99, situated at Yarandanahalli Village, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru and totally measuring 3000 sq feet, bounded on the:
East by : Sites bearing No 427 & 428
West by : Road, **North by :** Site bearing No 447
South by : Site bearing No 444.

Schedule "B" Property as per RC

All that part and parcel of the immovable residential flat bearing No F-D in the first floor of the apartment known as "Topaz Terrace" with plinth area of 792 sq feet including super build up area of common use, in site No 445 & 446 carved out of Sy No 99, R.K Township, Yarandanahalli Village, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru with undivided share 235 sq feet in total site area of 3000 sq feet with vitrified tile flooring teak wood main door and other doors and windows made of jungle wood.

Schedule properties are owned by both the Cds/ Defendants.

Given under my hand and seal of this Tribunal at Bengaluru on 18.12.2025

(RECOVERY OFFICER-1)
DRT-2, BENGALURU

QuoteExpress
YOU CAN'T WAIT FOR INSPIRATION. YOU HAVE TO GO AFTER IT WITH A CLUB
JACK LONDON

MAHATRANSCO
Maharashtra State Electricity Transmission Co. Ltd.

INVITATION FOR BID (IFB)
(LOCAL COMPETITIVE BIDDING)

SRM e-Tender No. T-2617/MSETCL/CO/Projects/Pre-Tender (RFx No. 6000001503)

MSETCL invites offers by SRM e-tendering in TWO bid system (Techno-Commercial Bid and Price Bid) from the eligible registered bidders for the following work as detailed below.

"Construction of LILO on 132kV Dahanu-Ambesari line at 132kV Dapcheri Substation (Route Length - 12.536 km) alongwith 2x132kV Line bays at 132kV Dapcheri Substation on turnkey basis, Dist. Palghar under Vashi Zone, MSETCL."

Interested bidders may obtain further information available on the website **https://srmetender.mahatransco.in**

The date of downloading of Bid documents available on the website is from **09.03.2026.**

Sd/-
Chief Engineer (Projects), MSETCL

BANGALORE WATER SUPPLY AND SEWERAGE BOARD

INVITATION FOR TENDER (Through KPP Portal Only)

BWSSB invites Tenders from Registered Agencies for the following works.

Office of The Chief Engineer (West), 6th Floor, Cauvery Bhavan, KG Road, Bangalore-560009.

Division	IFT Number	Amount put to tender / EMD (In Rs.)	Last date & time for Submission of Tender	Date & time for Opening of Tender
West-2	BWSSB/EE(W-2)/PB/ 6405/2025-26 Date: 09.03.2026	**Rs. 18,12,326/-** / **Rs. 45,400/-**	25.03.2026 upto 3.00 PM	26.03.2026 after 3.00 PM

Sd/- Executive Engineer (West-2)

The detail regarding the tender & participation in the e-procurement portal process can be obtained by logging on to **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in.** For further details contact the above signed office during working hours.

DIPR/CP/6207/NR/2025-26

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Public is hereby informed that my clients **Sri.Ganesh Ram Palariya** and **Sri.Bhoj raj Palariya** are intends to purchase the Portion of Property bearing Site No.10, out of V.P.Khatha No.39/47, BBMP E-AASTHI No.1015223643, Situated at Roopena Agrahara Gramathana Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Presently comes under the Jurisdiction of B.B.M.P. Ward No.175, Measuring East to West 44+46/2 and North to South 72+68/2, in all Measuring 3150 Square feet, together with all rights, appurtenances whatsoever whether underneath or above the surface from Sri.Suresh Babu S/o. Sri. Late Pillanna, represented by his GPA Holder Sri.Kori Siddabasappa Rajasekhara S/o. Sri. Sidda basappa. The said property hereinafter referred to as Schedule Property for the sake of brevity.

Any person/s having any claim or asserting any rights or interest in the Schedule Property in any manner, may lodge their objections or claims in writing with all supporting documentary evidence, by registered post with regard to such claim with the undersigned within Ten days from the date hereof, failing which my clients will proceed to purchase the schedule property from the aforesaid owners on the basis that there are no claims whatsoever against the schedule property.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All the piece and parcel of Portion of Property bearing Site No.10, out of V.P.Khatha No.39/47, BBMP E-AASTHI No.1015223643, Situated at Roopena Agrahara Gramathana Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Presently comes under the Jurisdiction of B.B.M.P. Ward No.175, Measuring East to West 44+46/2 and North to South 72+68/2, in all Measuring 3150 Square feet, together with all rights, appurtenances whatsoever whether underneath or above the surface and bounded on:-
East by :- Road,
West by:- Vendor's Property Site No.19 & 20.
North by: - Site No.11
South by:- Road (Pearl paradise & Laa Cascade Apartment)

Place : Bangalore, **Date :** 12-03-2026

N. Channakrishnappa, Advocate
No.57, 1st Avenue, Teachers Colony, Koramangala Post, Bangalore -560034
Mobile : 9448023809

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public are informed that my client **M/s. NAIRA INFRA HEIGHTS,** intends to enter into Joint development agreement with **1. M/s. SDM Ventures, 2. Mr. K. ETHIRAJULU NAIDU, 3. Mr. PURNACHANDRA.K, 4. Mr. NIKHIL CHANDRA DEBNATH, 5. Mr. PRASANNA KUMAR J, 6. Mr. D. MADHUSUDHANA RAO, 7. Mr. KEERTHI YADHENDRA N, 8. Mr. RAJESH BANDI, 9. Mr. BHARATH J, 10. Mrs. J. PRATHIBA, 11. Mr. ROCHITH, 12.Mr. SIVAKUMAR, 13. Mr. B S MANJUNATHA, 14. Mrs. KANKANALA GAYATHRI, 15. Mr. MULLAGURI SREENIVASULU, 16.V.BABU, 17. Mr. KUNDETI SASI KUMAR, 18 M/s. JPR SHELTERS, 19. Mrs. P. DHANALAKSHMI, 20. Mr. R VASU, 21. Mrs. BHUVANA R, 22. Mrs. GALLA DEEPA, 23. M/s. ABHAYA SHELTERS,** for the joint development of below said immovable Properties:

Item No.1:- All that piece and parcel of Property bearing **Converted Survey No.38,** measuring **2 Acres 21.08 Guntas,** vide conversion Order No.ALN (NAY)SR/64/2017-18, dated.22.03.2018, situated at **SRIRAMPURA VILLAGE,** Yelahanka Hobli, earlier Bangalore North Taluk, presently Yelahanka Taluk, Bangalore Urban District.

Item No.2:- All that piece and parcel of Property bearing **New Survey No.37/5, Old Survey No.37/3,**(Conversion from agricultural to non agricultural residential purpose vide conversion Order No.816268, dated. 07.01.2026, issued by the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore), measuring **22 (Twenty Two) Guntas,** situated at **SRIRAMPURA VILLAGE,** Yelahanka Hobli, earlier Bangalore North Taluk, presently Yelahanka Taluk, Bangalore Urban District.

Item No.3:- All that piece and parcel of Property bearing **Converted Survey No.37/1,** measuring **00 Acres 08 Guntas, (**Conversion from agricultural to non agricultural residential purpose vide conversion Order No.ALN (NAY)SR/64/2017-18, dated. 22.03.2018, issued by the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore), situated at **SRIRAMPURA VILLAGE,** Yelahanka Hobli, earlier Bangalore North Taluk, presently Yelahanka Taluk, Bangalore Urban District.

Item No.4:- **Converted Survey No.39/1, measuring 1 Acre 22 ½ Guntas (62 ½ Guntas) out of measuring 2 Acre 04 Guntas,** (Conversion from agricultural to non agricultural residential purpose vide conversion Order No.ALN (NAY)SR/64/2017-18, dated.22.03.2018, issued by the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore), situated at **SRIRAMPURA VILLAGE,** Yelahanka Hobli, earlier Bangalore North Taluk, presently Yelahanka Taluk.

Item No.5:- **Converted Survey No.39/1, measuring 5.½ Guntas out of measuring 2 Acre 04 Guntas,** (Conversion from agricultural to non agricultural residential purpose vide conversion Order No.ALN (NAY)SR/64/2017-18, dated.22.03.2018, issued by the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore), situated at **SRIRAMPURA VILLAGE,** Yelahanka Hobli, earlier Bangalore North Taluk, presently Yelahanka Taluk.

Item No.6:- **Converted Survey No.36/2, measuring 7 Guntas out of measuring 27.08 Guntas,** (Conversion from agricultural to non agricultural residential purpose vide conversion Order No.ALN (NAY)SR/64/2017-18, dated.22.03.2018, issued by the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore), situated at **SRIRAMPURA VILLAGE,** Yelahanka Hobli, earlier Bangalore North Taluk, presently Yelahanka Taluk.

Any Persons having any right over the said property may lodge their objections/claims with documentary evidence within 10 days from this day to the undersigned.

S.MURTHY, Advocate
SURIYALAW ASSOCIATES,
Flat No.303, 3rd Floor, Motati Meadows, Nagavarapalya Main Road, Bangalore-93.
Mob - 98450 87191 (Advocate)
Mob 9620201509 (Client : Rajesh Bandi)

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to the General Public are hereby informed that my client **Shri. Mullengada K Muddappa,** S/o Late. Karyappa, aged about 79 years, residing at No.05, 13th Main Road, Mathikere Extension, Bangalore-560054, is the absolute owner of the immovable property bearing bangalore City Corporation, belongs to Division one, previously mathikere Village, Property Sy No.60, Present BBMP, Mathikere, Brundavan Nagar, Old No.3, PID No. 2-84-11, New No.11, Property New EPID No. 3854885628, 3rd Main Road, Brundavana Nagar, J.P. Park, Bangalore, East to West: 40 (Forty) feet, North to South: 36 (Thirty Six) Sqft, total 1440 Sqft, with R.C.C. House. East: Site No.4, West Site No.2, North: Running water, South: Road.

My Client purchased from P.A. Pemaiah, under sale deed, Registration Document Book No.1. C.D. No.1705, Page No. 189-193, Registration No.5139/94-95. Dated: 10.05.1995. My client has misplaced/ lost the Original Sale Deed dated: **26.02.2026,** Place of Lost: ORION MALL AUTO STAND. Lost Report No. **2085806/2026.** If anybody finds the same, please contact Ph: 94490 52241.

SANTHOSH KUMAR R.
ADVOCATE

SOUTH CENTRAL RAILWAY
Follow us on @SCRailwayindia
Details of the Tender Notices of S.C Railway can be seen on our website : www.scr.indianrailways.gov.in

Open e-Tender Notice Nos. C/E.29/ Elec/M/SC/48/OSW-SW/OT/2025-26 Dt.10.03.2026

PUB/2086

For and on behalf of President of India, the undersigned invites e-tender for the given below work up to **15.00** hours on **31.03.2026**

1. e-Tender No. : etenderNo. C/E.29/Elec/M/SC/48/OSW-SW/OT/2025-26 etender No.E-M-SC-48-OT-2025-26 **Name of work:** Secunderabad Division Electrical Maintenance Department - (I) Bhongir- Construction of 8 Bedded RPF barracks for Male at Bhongiri -Out Post (ii) DLS/KZJ - Upgradation of RPF Out post building at DLS/KZJ (iii) Jamikunta - Construction of CPWI office and shed at JMKT (iv) Manuguru - Replacement of old type1 qtrs (B,No.8/1-5&19/1-3=08 units) & old TypeII qtrs (B.No.3/1-4 =04 units) with New Type-II qtrs at MUGR rly colony (v) Karepalli - DKJ-BDCR Section - KRA - Construction of Type-IV Quarter (1No.) for SSE/P.Way and Type-III (1No.) for JE/Pway at Karepalli (vi) Provision of 2 Nos. of 8 passenger capacity lifts in place of existing over aged lifts in Sanchalan Bhavan and Provision of 02 Nos of 13 passenger lifts capacity at New Annex Building at RSB (vii) Provision of 01 No of 6 passenger lift capacity at Chittapur Running Room (viii) CHZ - Construction of new type design RPF post-office building at Cherlapalli (ix) Secunderabad - Additional block for TTE Rest House with 27 Beds (14 Beds for Male TTEs and 13 Beds for Lady TTEs with separate toilets) with AC's, kitchen, Store, RO water and furniture provision (x) KHNP- Construction of Type-II quarters-07 Nos at KHNP (xi) Proposal for construction of new building of 5000 Sqft fri Cyber Cell/SCR for formation of integrated command control Centre - Electrical arrangements. **Tender Value : (₹)** 2,60,40,617.13 **EMD : (₹)** 2,80,200.00 **CTF : (₹)** 0.00 **Completion period :** 6 Months

1. Tender conditions/other particulars are available in the Tender documents on IREPS website at "**www.ireps.gov.in**" which can be downloaded, can be participated and can view any modifications if any.

2. The tender notice is also displayed in the Notice Board located in the office of Sr.DEE(Maintenance), Secunderabad Division, South Central Railway, Secunderabad which can be seen on all working days.

3. The Railway reserves the right to cancel the tender without assigning any reason thereto.

Sr. Divisional Electrical Engineer,
A2646 **(M) Secunderabad**

For further tender conditions / details and for downloading the tender documents, Please visit website at https://www.ireps.gov.in or www.scr.indianrailways.gov.in

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the General Public that My client, **Mr.VISHWANATH N,** Aged about 74 years, S/o. **Mr.T.L.Nanjundaiah,** Residing at: No.13A/2, S.G.Layout, 1st Cross, Kodigehalli Main Road, Sahakara Nagara, Bangalore-560092. do hereby inform to the general public that he has lost the original Sale deed (1) executed by Mr.G. Venkateswarlu, S/o. Late.G.Narasimhulu, in favour of the Mrs. C.S.Deepa, D/o. M.Krishna Murthy, which was registered as **Document No.ANK-1-16816-2003-04, Stored in CD No.ANKD4, dated 30.03.2004, Sale deed (2)** executed by Mrs. C.S.Deepa, D/o. Mr.M.Krishna Murthy, in favour of the Mr. P.Sashikumar, S/o. Late Pasupathi, registered as **Document No.ANK-1-04642-2004-05, Stored in CD No.ANKD32, dated 16.06.2004,** and **Sale deed (3)** executed by Mr. P.Sashi Kumar, S/o. Late Pasupathi, Rep. by POA holder Mr.Mahesh Prasad.H, S/o. Mr.K.Krishnamurthy, in favour of the Mrs.Savithri.S.N, D/o. S.N.Bhat, registered as **Document No.ANK-1-26316-2006-07, Stored in CD No.ANKD175, dated 14.11.2006,** registered at the office of the Sub Registrar, Anekal, Bangalore Urban District. In respect of the Residential property bearing **Site No.22,** Katha No.1123/22, formed in **Survey Nos.461/1, 461/2, 461/3, 461/4, 461/5, 462/1, 462/2, 462/3, 468 and 469, situated at Marasur Village, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District,** which is converted from agricultural to non agricultural residential purpose vide Conversion Order No.ALN. SR(AK)56&59/1996-97, dated 25.07.1997 order passed by the Assistant Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore and the layout plan sanctioned by Bangalore Metropolitan Region Development Authority vide Letter No.BMRDA/ LAO/26/1998-99, Dated 23.10.2003. Measuring: East to West 40 feet and North to South 30 feet, Totally measuring 1200 Sq.feet. In this regard he had lodged a Police complaint No.2102692/2026, dated 10.03.2026 If any person/s finds the same please hand over the same within 10 days of this notice, to the above advocate Office address or contact number.

N. SOMASHEKHAR, Advocate,
M/s. Sri Sai Law Associates, No. 67/3, Benaka Complex, Hennagara Gate, Bommasandra, Bangalore-99, Karnataka. Mobile : 9448236908
Email: sailawassociates997@gmail.com
Date: 13.03.2026 Place: Bangalore

PUBLIC NOTICE

Our client intends to purchase lands in Sarjapura Village, Sarjapura Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Blore Urban Dist. described below. Objections to title/claims must be lodged with proof to undersigned within 10 days, failing which the transactions will be completed.

SCHEDULE PROPERTIES

1) **Sy 213/1** (0A-20G), E: Sy 213/2, W: Sy 212, N: Sy 219, S: Sy 213/4, Owner Mr. Vidhyadhar s/o Ranganatha Sharma.
2) **Sy 213/3** (0A-10Guntas), E: Sy 215/1, W: Sy 210, N: Sy 213/4, S: Sy 214.
3) **Sy 213/4** (0A-29G) E: Sy 213/2 & 215/1, W: Sy 212, N: Sy 213/1, S: Sy 213/3 & 210 Owner (Sl. 2&3): Narayanappa alias Ashwathanarayana S/o Veerappa
4) **Sy 214** (0A-25G): E: Sy 215/1, W: Sy 209, N: Sy 213/3, S: Sy 170, Owners: S. V. Manjula & Venkatachala Ajay

Date : 13-03-2026
Place : Bengaluru

Mr. S T Prashantha Kumar
Advocate & Senior Partner
Mr. Mali Pavan Gowda
Advocate & G-Head
Fox Mandal & Associates
Solicitors & Advocates
FM House, 6/12, Primrose Road
Bengaluru – 560 025
Phone: +91 80 2559 5911

SOUTH WESTERN RAILWAY

Tender Notice No. CAO/CN/BNC/175/2026
Dated : 06-03-2026

The undersigned, on behalf of the President of India, invites E-Tenders for the following works.

Name of the Work	Approx. Value
Construction of ROB in lieu of LC no. 97 @ Km:121/600-700 as 1x36 m Composite Girder (Railway Portion) + 3x18.71m PSC Girder (Kirangoor end) + 6x18.71m PSC Girder (Rampur end) + 3x28m PSC Girder (Rampur end) + RCC retaining wall (approach portion) and proposed Limited height subway at km:121/540 as 1x5x2.5m RCC box Between Pandavapura (PANP) and Shrirangapattana (S) Stations (Composite work). **(Tender Ref. No. ROB-LC-97-PANP-S)**	**Rs. 37,59,30,128/-**

Last date for submission of bids:
Upto 15:00 Hrs on 31-03-2026

For details log on: www.ireps.gov.in

Deputy Chief Engineer/Construction/ Works/Bengaluru Cantonment
PUB/983/AAS/PRB/SWR/2025-26

Download the **RailOne** app. RailOne is the all-in-one railway app by Indian Railways. Passengers can book reserved tickets, unreserved tickets, platform ticktes, and season passes, check PNR status, order food, and access many more services at their fingertips. Use digital payment to book unreserved tickets through **RailOne** app, and enjoy up to a **3%** discount.

South Western Railway-SWR SWRRLY @SWRAILWAYHQ @sw_railways

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to bring to the notice of the general public that our client **Miss. Ramani Mani. J D/o. Late. J. John** is intending to purchase the schedule property mentioned hereunder from **Mr. Sam C. Daniel S/o Mr. C.K. Daniel and MRS. Aleyamma Sam W/o. Mr. Sam C. Daniel ;** person/s objecting for the proposed purchase or are having any right, title, interest or any type of claim over the scheduled property is hereby called upon to file their objections/claims what so ever along with documentary proof on or before **7 days** from the date of publication of this notice with the under mentioned advocate failing which; our client shall proceed and complete the sale transaction with the above stated person.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the Vacant Residential **Plot No.8,** Khatha No.305, Assessment No.270, in Property No.112/1, Situated at **Chagalatti Village, Jala Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk,** comes under the Jurisdiction of Marenahalli Gramapanchayath Limits, Measuring East to West **35 Feet** North to South **40 Feet** in all measuring **1400 Square Feet** and bounded on the:
East by: Plot No.9, West by: Plot No.7, North by: Private Property, South by: 30 Feet Road.

C.K.V.K. LAW ASSOCIATES
Mr. VENKATESH CHANDRAN M.A., L.L.B.
Advocates & Legal Consultants Bangalore-43
M : 9845846428, 9108784843, 080-48658774
E- Mail: rvlaw.76@gmail.com

ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ

ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕರಿಗೆ ಈ ಮೂಲಕ ತಿಳಿಯಪಡಿಸುವುದೇನೆಂದರೆ, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು–560059, ಮೈಸೂರು ರಸ್ತೆ, ಪಟ್ಟಣಗೆರೆ ಮುಖ್ಯರಸ್ತೆ, ಗ್ಲೋಬಲ್ ವಿಲೇಜ್, ರನ್ ನಿಕೇತನ ಮನೆ ನಂ.25 ರಲ್ಲಿ ವಾಸವಾಗಿರುವ, ಲೇಟ್ ಬಸವ ಶೆಟ್ಟಿ ರವರ ಮಗನಾದ ಶ್ರೀ ಹೆಚ್. ಶರತ್ ಕುಮಾರ್, ಆದ ಇವರು ಶ್ರೀಮತಿ ಪ್ರಮೀಳ ಕೇರಾಫ್ ಶ್ರೀ ಹೆಚ್.ಜಿ. ವೆಂಕಟರಾಮಯ್ಯ ವಾಸ: ನಂ. 2, 8ನೇ ಡಿ ಕ್ರಾಸ್, ಅಂದರಹಳ್ಳಿ, ಶ್ರೀ ಚಕ್ರ ನಗರ, 2ನೇ ಹಂತ, ವಿಶ್ವನೀಡಂ, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು–560091 ಇವರಿಂದ ಅವರ ಮಾಲೀಕತ್ವದ ಸ್ವತ್ತಿನ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: 59, ಇಪಿಐಡಿ ನಂ.9771249540, ಬಿಬಿಎಂಪಿ ಖಾತಾ ನಂ. 3311/84/79/59/1, ಪಟ್ಟಣಗೆರೆ ಗ್ರಾಮ ಹಳೇ ಖಾತಾ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: 79, ನಂತರದ ಖಾತಾ ನಂ. 59, ಕೆಂಗೇರಿ ಹೋಬಳಿ, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ದಕ್ಷಿಣ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು, ಹಾಲಿ ಬಿಬಿಎಂಪಿ ವ್ಯಾಪ್ತಿಗೆ ಒಳಪಟ್ಟಿರುವ ಬಿಬಿಎಂಪಿ ವಾರ್ಡ್ ನಂ. 198 (ಹೆಮ್ಮಿಗೆಪುರ) ವಿಸ್ತೀರ್ಣ ಪೂರ್ವ–ಪಶ್ಚಿಮ 20–0 ಅಡಿಗಳು, ಉತ್ತರ–ದಕ್ಷಿಣ: 34.9 ಅಡಿಗಳು, ಒಟ್ಟು ವಿಸ್ತೀರ್ಣ 698 ಚದರ ಅಡಿಗಳ ಸ್ವತ್ತನ್ನು ಖರೀದಿ ಮಾಡಲು ಇಚ್ಛಿಸಿರುತ್ತಾರೆ. ಸದರಿ ಶೆಡ್ಯೂಲ್ ಸ್ವತ್ತಿಗೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದಂತೆ ಯಾವುದೇ ಹಕ್ಕು, ಶೀರ್ಷಿಕೆ, ಆಸಕ್ತಿ, ಪಾಲುಗಾರಿಕೆ, ಹಕ್ಕುಗಳು, ಬಾಧ್ಯತೆಗಳು ಅಥವಾ ಆಕ್ಷೇಪಣೆಗಳನ್ನು ಹೊಂದಿರುವ ಯಾವುದೇ ವ್ಯಕ್ತಿ/ಸಂಸ್ಥೆ, ವ್ಯಾವಹಾರಿಕ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆ/ಕಂಪನಿ ಅಥವಾ ಸ್ವಾತ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಗಳು ಈ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ ಹೊರಡಿಸಿದ 07 ದಿನಗಳ ಒಳಗೆ ಈ ಕೆಳಗೆ ಸಹಿ ಮಾಡಿದವರಿಗೆ ಲಿಖಿತವಾಗಿ ತಿಳಿಸಲು ಅಥವಾ ದಾಖಲೆ ಪುರಾವೆಗಳೊಂದಿಗೆ ಕೆಳಗೆ ಸಹಿ ಮಾಡಿದವರನ್ನು ಸಂಪರ್ಕಿಸಲು ವಿನಂತಿಸಿಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಒಂದು ವೇಳೆ ವಿಫಲರಾದರೆ ಅದು ನಮಗೆ ಮಾನ್ಯವಾಗಿರುವುದಿಲ್ಲ ಅಥವಾ ಬದ್ಧವಾಗಿರುವುದಿಲ್ಲ ಎಂದು ಹಾಗೂ ಶೂನ್ಯ ಮತ್ತು ಅನೂರ್ಜಿತವೆಂದು ಹಾಗೂ ಎಲ್ಲಾ ರೀತಿಯ ಹೊಣೆಗಾರಿಕೆಯಿಂದ ಮುಕ್ತವಾಗಿದೆ ಎಂದು ಪರಿಗಣಿಸಿ ಸದರಿ ಷೆಡ್ಯೂಲ್ ಸ್ವತ್ತಿನ ಶುದ್ಧ ಕ್ರಯಪತ್ರವನ್ನು ನಮ್ಮ ಹೆಸರಿಗೆ ಕಾರ್ಯಗತಗೊಳಿಸಿಕೊಳ್ಳಲು ಬದ್ಧರಾಗುತ್ತೇವೆ ಎಂದು ತಿಳಿಯಪಡಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ.

ಷೆಡ್ಯೂಲ್ ಸ್ವತ್ತಿನ ವಿವರ

ಸ್ವತ್ತಿನ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: 59, ಇಪಿಐಡಿ ನಂ.9771249540, ಬಿಬಿಎಂಪಿ ಖಾತಾ ನಂ. 3311/84/79/59/1, ಪಟ್ಟಣಗೆರೆ ಗ್ರಾಮ ಹಳೇ ಖಾತಾ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: 79, ನಂತರದ ಖಾತಾ ನಂ. 59, ಕೆಂಗೇರಿ ಹೋಬಳಿ, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ದಕ್ಷಿಣ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು, ಹಾಲಿ ಬಿಬಿಎಂಪಿ ವ್ಯಾಪ್ತಿಗೆ ಒಳಪಟ್ಟಿರುವ ಬಿಬಿಎಂಪಿ ವಾರ್ಡ್ ನಂ. 198 (ಹೆಮ್ಮಿಗೆಪುರ) ವಿಸ್ತೀರ್ಣ ಪೂರ್ವ–ಪಶ್ಚಿಮ 20–0 ಅಡಿಗಳು, ಉತ್ತರ–ದಕ್ಷಿಣ: 34.9 ಅಡಿಗಳು, ಒಟ್ಟು ವಿಸ್ತೀರ್ಣ 698 ಚದರ ಅಡಿಗಳ ಸ್ವತ್ತಿಗೆ ಚಕ್ಕುಬಂದಿ:
ಪೂರ್ವಕ್ಕೆ : ಇದೇ ಸ್ವತ್ತಿನ ನಂ.59ರ ಪೈಕಿ ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ದ್ವಾರಕನಾಥ್ ರವರ ಭಾಗದ ಸ್ವತ್ತು
ಪಶ್ಚಿಮಕ್ಕೆ : ಇದೇ ಸ್ವತ್ತಿನ ನಂ.59ರ ಪೈಕಿ ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಶ್ರೀನಿವಾಸ ಮೂರ್ತಿ ರವರ ಭಾಗದ ಸ್ವತ್ತು
ಉತ್ತರಕ್ಕೆ : ಓಡಾಡಲು ಬಿಟ್ಟಿರುವ ಜಾಗ
ದಕ್ಷಿಣಕ್ಕೆ : ನಾರಾಯಣಪ್ಪ, ಸದಾಶಿವಯ್ಯ, ಗಂಗಮ್ಮ ಮತ್ತು ಬಸಪ್ಪ ರವರ ಮನೆ.

ಸ್ಥಳ: ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು **ದಿನಾಂಕ :** 12/03/2026
ಮಾಬು ಸುಬಾನಿ ಬಿ.ಎ ಎಲ್.ಎಲ್.ಬಿ ವಕೀಲರು
ನಂ.126, ಪ್ರೆಸ್ಟೀಜ್ ನಗ್ಗೆಟ್, ಇನ್‌ಫ್ಯಾಂಟ್ರಿ ರಸ್ತೆ, ಶಿವಾಜಿನಗರ, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು –560001 ಮೊ : 9008342865

QuoteExpress
IF YOU'RE GOING THROUGH HELL, KEEP GOING › WINSTON CHURCHILL

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the General Public that My client, **Mr.VISHWANATH N,** Aged about 74 years, S/o. **Mr.T.L.Nanjundaiah,** Residing at: No.13A/2, S.G.Layout, 1st Cross, Kodigehalli Main Road, Sahakara Nagara, Bangalore-560092. do hereby inform to the general public that he has lost the original Sale deed (1) executed by Mr.G. Venkateswarlu, S/o. Late.G.Narasimhulu, in favour of the Mrs. C.S.Deepa, D/o. M.Krishna Murthy, which was registered as **Document No.ANK-1-03524-2004-05, Stored in CD No.ANKD31, dated 02.06.2004 and Sale deed (2)** executed by Mrs. C.S.Deepa, D/o. Mr.M.Krishna Murthy, in favour of the Mr. T.S. Nagaraj, S/o. Mr.N.S. Seetharam Rao, registered as **Document No.ANK-1-08159-2004-05, Stored in CD No.ANKD34, dated 30.07.2004,** registered at the office of the Sub Registrar, Anekal, Bangalore Urban District. In respect of the Residential property bearing **Site No.18, Katha No.102(385) /18, formed in Survey Nos.461/1, 461/2, 461/3, 461/4, 461/5, 462/1, 462/2, 462/3, 468 and 469, situated at Marasur Village, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District,** which is converted from agricultural to non agricultural residential purpose vide Conversion **Order No.ALN.SR(AK) 56&59/1996-97, dated 25.07.1997** order passed by the Assistant Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore and the layout plan sanctioned by Bangalore Metropolitan Region Development Authority vide Letter **No.BMRDA/ LAO/26/1998-99, Dated 23.10.2003. Measuring: East to West 40 feet and North to South 30 feet.** In this regard he had lodged a Police complaint No.2102660/ 2026, dated 10.03.2026 If any person/s finds the same please hand over the same within 10 days of this notice, to the above advocate Office address or contact number.

N. SOMASHEKHAR, Advocate,
M/s. Sri Sai Law Associates,
No. 67/3, Benaka Complex, Hennagara Gate, Bommasandra, Bangalore-99, Karnataka. Mobile : 9448236908
Email: sailawassociates997@gmail.com
Date: 13.03.2026 Place: Bangalore

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by my client, **Sri. Syed Abdul Ala S/o. Late Sri. Syed Abdul Razak,** Resident of Hassan District, Karnataka, to the general public that the immovable property situated at Subhas Square, Beside Roopa Jewellers, Hassan, is the absolute self-acquired property of **Late Sri. Syed Abdul Razak, (S.A Razak)** purchased through his independent earnings, and upon his demise, the title and possession have devolved exclusively upon his legal heirs. The public is hereby cautioned that the **unregistered Partnership Deed dated 01.04.1992** with respect to "M/s. Firoze Cycle Mart" stood automatically dissolved upon the death of Sri. S.A. Razak as per Section 42(c) of the Indian Partnership Act, 1932, and any claims for accounts or profits are now grossly time-barred under the 3-year limitation period prescribed by Article 5 of the Limitation Act, 1963. Furthermore, the alleged **agreement dated 26.11.2025** is a concocted, forged, and legally void document created without the consent or signatures of the rightful legal heirs, and as such, it holds no legal sanctity under the Indian Contract Act, 1872. The general public is warned **NOT to enter into any transaction, sale, or mortgage with Sri. S.A. Khaliq, Sri. Syed Sadiq, or any other person claiming rights through these defunct and fabricated documents;** any person doing so shall do so at their own peril, and my client reserves the right to initiate strict civil and criminal proceedings against such unauthorized interference with his absolute title.

Published by and under the instruction of Sri. Syed Abdul Ala:

Mohammed Moin Ulla, Lex Reign,
Advocates and Solicitors,
No.49, T1, 3rd Floor, Virat Nagar, Bengaluru-560068. Mob: 9916080716.
E-mail: lexreign14@gmail.com

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the General Public that My client, **Mr.VISHWANATH N,** Aged about 74 years, S/o. **Mr.T.L.Nanjundaiah,** Residing at: No.13A/2, S.G.Layout, 1st Cross, Kodigehalli Main Road, Sahakara Nagara, Bangalore-560092. do hereby inform to the general public that he has lost the original Sale deed (1) executed by Mr.G.Venkateswarlu, S/o. Late.G.Narasimhulu, in favour of the Mrs. C.S.Deepa, D/o. M.Krishna Murthy, which was registered as **Document No.ANK-1-16812-2003-04, Stored in CD No.ANKD4, dated 30.03.2004 and Sale deed (2)** executed by Mrs. C.S.Deepa, D/o. M.Krishna Murthy, in favour of the Mr. K.Puttaswamaiah, S/o. Mr. Kempaiah, registered as **Document No.ANK-1-04658-2004-05, Stored in CD No.ANKD32, dated 16.06.2004,** registered at the office of the Sub Registrar, Anekal, Bangalore Urban District. In respect of the Residential property bearing **Site No.16, Katha No.1117/16, formed in Survey Nos.461/1, 461/2, 461/3, 461/4, 461/5, 462/1, 462/2, 462/3, 468 and 469, situated at Marasur Village, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District,** which is converted from agricultural to non agricultural residential purpose vide Conversion **Order No.ALN.SR(AK)56&59/ 1996-97, dated 25.07.1997** order passed by the Assistant Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore and the layout plan sanctioned by Bangalore Metropolitan Region Development Authority vide Letter **No.BMRDA/LAO/26/1998-99, Dated 23.10.2003. Measuring: East to West 40 feet and North to South 30 feet.** In this regard he had lodged a Police complaint No.2102672/2026, dated 10.03.2026 If any person/s finds the same please hand over the same within 10 days of this notice, to the above advocate Office address or contact number.

N. SOMASHEKHAR, Advocate,
M/s. Sri Sai Law Associates,
No. 67/3, Benaka Complex, Hennagara Gate, Bommasandra, Bangalore-99, Karnataka. Mobile : 9448236908
Email: sailawassociates997@gmail.com
Date: 13.03.2026 Place: Bangalore

THE NEW INDIAN EXPRESS

BUSINESS

15 BENGALURU | FRIDAY 13.03.2026 | newindianexpress.com

Market Watch

MARKET		GOLD*		SILVER*		FOREX	
829.29 ▼	Sensex 76,034.42	₹1,090 ▼	24 carat (10 gm) ₹162,370	₹10,000 ▼	1 kg ₹280,000	▲ Dollar	92.35
227.70 ▼	Nifty 23,639.15	₹1,000 ▼	22 carat (10 gm) ₹148,850	₹100 ▼	10 gm ₹2,800	▼ Euro	106.61

*Delhi Mandi Price

Sensex sheds 6,200 points in 9 sessions amid Iran war

No sign of let-up in West Asia crisis, benchmarks fall 1% each on Thurs

ARSHAD KHAN @ New Delhi

THE stock market rout continues with the benchmark indices – BSE Sensex and NSE Nifty - falling more than 1% each again on Thursday as the ongoing crisis in West Asia is showing no signs of de-escalation. This has led to a sharp rise in crude oil prices, stoking fears of inflation, especially among nations that rely on imported oil to meet energy demand.

In the past 9 trading sessions, the Sensex has declined by over 6,214 points while Nifty has shed 1,857 points. This relentless selling has driven indices to fresh 10-11 month lows. The Sensex fell 1.08% to settle at 76,034.42 on Thursday, while the Nifty 50 fell 0.95% to close at 23,639.15. Most of the sectoral indices, especially OMCs, automobile and chemicals, have been under pressure since tensions surged in West Asia after US and Israeli forces targeted key Iranian sites earlier this month, resulting in death of Supreme Leader Ayatollah Ali Khamenei.

Brent crude prices have again surpassed $100/barrel mark on Thursday following the continued closure of the Strait of Hormuz, limited storage facilities in the producer countries and the attacks on oil & gas infrastructure and vessels. India is also grappling with the shortage of liquefied petroleum gas (LPG) and liquefied natural gas (LNG) which has started affecting consumers and businesses across the country.

Higher oil prices are likely to translate into higher inflation in the coming months. This may exert pressure on currency stability and corporate margins, impacting overall equity market sentiment. Vinod Nair, head of research, Geojit Investments, said geopolitical tensions in the Middle East continue to dampen global risk appetite, as fresh attacks on oil-shipping vessels have pushed crude prices closer to $100 per barrel, intensifying concerns over inflation and gas supply constraints.

"The market is seeing broad-based consolidation, though selective buying has emerged in renewables and utility stocks. In the near term, sustained risk-off sentiment and ongoing FII outflows are likely to keep both equities and the INR under pressure," added Nair. Rupee traded weaker, slipping 0.27% below the 92.25 mark on Thursday, as the dollar index hovered above 99$ and volatile crude prices kept pressure on the currency. Gold traded slightly positive with gains of 0.20%, quoting near ₹162,100 on MCX, while CME gold held around $5,185 with similar gains.

Ross Maxwell, global strategy operations lead, VT Markets, said even with a large release of strategic reserves coordinated by the IEA, the market reaction has been driven more by perceived supply risk than by actual shortages, pushing Brent crude prices above $100 per barrel again.

UNDER PRESSURE

1. Relentless selling has driven indices to 10-11 month lows
2. Brent crude prices have again surpassed $100 per barrel mark on Thursday
3. Higher oil prices likely to translate into higher inflation in coming months
4. This may exert pressure on currency, corporate margins

2 oil tankers reach India via Hormuz

RAKESH KUMAR @ New Delhi

AMID heightened tensions in the Strait of Hormuz and disruptions to shipping movement, two tankers carrying crude oil have successfully arrived at Mumbai port. According to industry sources, these are among the first non-Iranian vessels to transit the Strait of Hormuz since the conflict escalated.

The tankers reportedly switched off their automatic identification system (AIS) and transponders while passing through the Strait of Hormuz to ensure safer transit amid rising attacks in the region. Industry sources said the first tanker, 'Shenlong', which loaded crude from Saudi Arabia's Ras Tanura export terminal on March 1, arrived in Mumbai on March 10. The vessel carried 2 million barrel crude, loaded as Basra crude, one of Iraq's main export grades.

Meanwhile, the Indian government has said 28 vessels remain stranded around the Strait due to the security situation. As per the ministry, 24 vessels carrying 677 seafarers are stuck west of the strait in the Persian Gulf, while four vessels with 101 seafarers are stranded east of the strait in the Gulf of Oman or the Arabian Sea.

It was reported that Iran would allow Indian-flagged tankers to transit the Strait of Hormuz after Indian foreign minister S Jaishankar spoke to his counterpart in Iran. However, reports remain conflicting as an Iranian source outside the country denied that any such agreement had been finalised. The strait is a critical route for India, through which about 40% of the country's crude oil imports pass through.

Meanwhile, crude oil prices again climbed close to $100 a barrel on Thursday, despite the International Energy Agency's (IEA) decision to release 400 million barrels from strategic reserves to stabilise the market. This marks the second time in a week that Brent crude has approached the $100 level, after surging to a peak of $119/barrel earlier in the week. At around 8:43 PM IST, Brent crude was trading at $100.5 per barrel.

Prices jumped after two oil tankers were attacked in Iraqi waters, forcing suspension of operations at an oil export terminal in the country. Iraq is one of the world's major oil exporters and has been India's second-largest crude supplier in recent years. Iran warned on Wednesday that oil prices could surge to as high as $200 per barrel if tensions in the region continue to escalate and attacks on merchant vessels intensify.

Tankers switched off identification system

As per industry sources, these are among the first non-Iranian vessels to transit the Strait of Hormuz since the conflict escalated. The tankers reportedly switched off their Automatic Identification System (AIS) and transponders while passing through the Strait of Hormuz

B'desh, SL, Maldives seek energy supplies from India

PUSHPITA DEY @ New Delhi

INDIA has received requests from neighbouring countries including Bangladesh, Sri Lanka and Maldives seeking energy supplies as the ongoing West Asia crisis has disrupted global oil flows and triggered a regional fuel crunch, confirmed the Ministry of External Affairs on Thursday.

Bangladesh has specifically sought diesel supplies from India, said MEA adding that New Delhi will take a decision after assessing domestic availability and production levels.

"We have received requests from some neighbouring countries for energy exports, including diesel from Bangladesh. Domestic availability and production will be factored in before any decision is taken," said Randhir Jaiswal, spokesperson, MEA during a media briefing on Thursday. He also added that Bangladesh has been an active importer of fuel for the past few years.

The requests come amid a growing energy crisis triggered by the Iran Israel conflict that has resulted in a sudden spike in the crude oil prices and disrupted shipping routes across the Gulf. Oil prices recently crossed $110 per barrel, levels last seen in 2022, amid concerns over supply disruptions and rising geopolitical tensions.

> We have received requests from neighbouring countries for energy, including diesel from Bangladesh.
>
> Randhir Jaiswal, MEA spokesman

B'desh seeks diesel

Bangladesh has specifically sought diesel supplies from India, said MEA adding that New Delhi will take a decision after assessing availability

IPO

NSE shortlists 8 law firms, 20 i-bankers for ₹23,000 cr share sale

BENN KOCHUVEEDAN @ Mumbai

THE nation's largest stock exchange National Stock Exchange (NSE) has moved a step closer to its mega IPO as it has shortlisted as many as 20 investment banks, eight law firms, among other market intermediaries.

In a statement issued on Thursday, the NSE said its IPO committee has selected 20 merchant bankers — the largest i-bankers syndicate so far for an IPO. The ICICI Prudential MAC's recent issue had the largest till now with 18 in the list. The 20 i-bankers are Axis Capital, IIFL Capital, JM Financial, Kotak Mahindra Capital, Motilal Oswal, ICICI Securities, SBI Capital, Nuvama Wealth, HDFC Bank, Avendus Capital, Morgan Stanley, Citigroup, JP Morgan, HSBC Securities, IDBI Capital, 360 One Wam, Anand Rathi, DAM Capital, Pantomath Capital, and Equirus Capital.

> Selected intermediaries will support NSE across various aspects of the offering
>
> NSE

The eight law firms selected include Cyril Amarchand Mangaldas, Khaitan & Co, Latham & Watkins, Sidley Austin Singapore, AZB & Partners, S&R Associates, Shardul Amarchand Mangaldas, and Trilegal. The bourse has selected other intermediaries like MUFG Intime India, Makarand M Joshi & Company, Manian & Rao, RBSA Advisors, and Redseer Strategy Consultants.

"The selected intermediaries will support NSE across various aspects of the proposed offering, including regulatory filings, due diligence, documentation, marketing and execution, in accordance with applicable laws and regulations," NSE said.

Meanwhile, the grey market price of NSE's unlisted shares have fallen, reflecting the steep correction in the boarder market. From the peak of ₹2,400 a share it has fallen to ₹1970 on Thursday, valuing the company at ₹4.87 trillion. In the run-up to the Sebi nod, the exchange had settled co-location cases with the regulator, agreeing to pay about ₹1,400 crore.

A key operational challenge could be NSE's swelling shareholder base of 1.91 lakh, which is the largest among unlisted companies. The numbers of shareholders sharply rose from about 5,000 in December 2023, 20,500 in December 2024, and nearly 1.84 lakh by December 2025 who collectively own a little more than 12.3% of the exchange.

The colocation case, pending before the Supreme Court, pertains to allegations that certain brokers received preferential access to NSE's trading servers between 2015 and 2016.

Inflation up 3.21% in Feb on higher food prices

DIPAK MONDAL @ New Delhi

INDIA'S retail inflation rose to 3.21% in February 2026, up 47 basis points from 2.74% in January, driven by a rise in food prices and precious metals, as per provisional data released by the National Statistics Office (NSO) on Thursday.

Food inflation saw a sharp uptick in February. Inflation based on Consumer Food Price Index (CFPI) rose to 3.47% in February from 2.13% in January, reflecting higher prices of vegetables, fruits, nuts, oils and fats, and prepared food items.

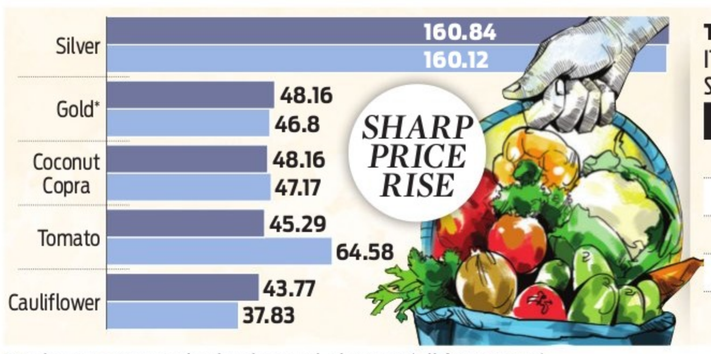
Inflationary pressures were higher in rural areas compared with cities. Rural inflation stood at 3.37%, while urban inflation was 3.02%, indicating slightly stronger price pressures in the countryside.

Food inflation rose due to higher prices of vegetables, readymade food, fruits and nuts, and edible oils. Inflation has remained subdued in the current fiscal. Between April and February, CPI inflation averaged 1.9%, a period of relatively benign price pressures.

The Consumer Price Index (CPI) is a key gauge tracked by policymakers and the RBI while setting monetary policy. Despite the rise in February, retail inflation remained within the RBI's tolerance band of 2-6%.

Economists said the February increase was driven by food prices while underlying inflation remained stable. As per Dipti Deshpande, Principal Economist at Crisil, core inflation — which excludes food and beverages and electricity, gas and other fuels — remained steady at 3.4% , while core inflation excluding precious metals and stones was around 1.9%.

Economists cautioned that global developments could affect inflation in the coming months. Rising geopolitical tensions in West Asia and higher energy prices may put pressure on non-food categories. Fuel and transport could be among the first segments to face upward pressure due to higher crude oil and gas prices.



● February ● January | *Also diamond, platinum (All figures in %)

TOP INFLATION CONTRIBUTORS
ITEMS THAT WITNESSED A SHARP DECLINE IN PRICES

Items	February	January
Garlic	-31.09	-53.03
Onion	-28.2	-29.3
Potato	-18.46	-28.98
Arhar, tur	-16	-24.9
Litchi	-11.52	-12.67

APPOINTMENT

Vinay Tonse joins Yes Bank as CEO-designate

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Mumbai

YES BANK on Thursday said Vinay Muralidhar Tonse has joined as its managing director & chief executive-designate effective immediately, following an approval from the RBI.

Tonse has been appointed for a three-year term from April 6, 2026 and will succeed Prashant Kumar who has been at the helm as the MD & CEO from March 2020 when he was handpicked to rescue the bank from sinking. Both Kumar and Tonse are ex-SBI officials.

Tonse is a seasoned banker with more than three-and-a-half decades of experience spanning across treasury, retail banking, corporate banking, international operations and asset management, making him one of the versatile leaders in the Indian financial services sector. Most recently, Tonse was a managing director at State Bank of India, where he led the bank's retail operations and managed a retail book of around $800 billion.

Tonse also brings significant international experience having worked in Singapore for two years, and leading SBI's overseas operations in Osaka, Japan for four years. In addition, he served as managing director of SBI Mutual Fund, where under his between August 2020 and December 2022 the company saw assets under management grow from ₹4.32 trillion to ₹7.32 trillion.

A commerce graduate from St Joseph's College of Commerce, Bengaluru, he holds a Master's in commerce from Bangalore University.

EXPRESS READ

Gold hallmarking extended to more dists

NEW DELHI: The mandatory hallmarking of gold jewellery has been expanded to 7 more districts. The districts are: Rupnagar (Punjab), Banda (UP), Beed (Maha), Gomati (Tripura), Katihar (Bihar), Beawar (Raj) and Neemuch (MP), govt statement said. *ENS*

Rupee settles 24 paise down at 92.25

NEW DELHI: The rupee touched a fresh intra-day low on Thursday and closed the session 24 paise down at its lowest level of 92.25 against the US dollar, dragged down by elevated crude oil prices and massive withdrawal of foreign capital. ENS

More than 1,000 fresh graduates still waiting for offer letter from TechM

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Bengaluru

MORE than 1,000 engineering graduates from the 2025 batch are still waiting to join Tech Mahindra, months after clearing the company's recruitment process, as the IT services firm slows fresher hiring amid a challenging business environment.

As per a report by Moneycontrol, many of the affected candidates studied at colleges across Maharashtra and had completed multiple stages of selection process earlier in 2025. These included aptitude tests and two rounds of technical and HR interviews held between January and February. Despite being informed of their selection in March 2025, many graduates say they are yet to receive formal offer letters or confirmed joining dates.

"I had gone through two rounds of tests in January 2025. Then we were called for two interview rounds at Tech Mahindra's office in Pune in February. Final selection list came in March 2025. It's nearly a year since we were informed of our job selection during the final year of college. We didn't even get our formal offer letters yet," a fresher from a Pune college said. Responding to queries of TNIE, a Tech Mahindra spokesperson said the company is issuing offer letters gradually.

"Across the industry, anticipated demand for fresh graduates has been lower than projected, resulting in a slower pace of onboarding. At Tech Mahindra, we are rolling out offer letters to graduates in batches aligned with improving business demand, and we remain committed to honoring our campus hiring commitments," said the company spokesperson.

Agentic AI to generate more tech jobs: Bank CIOs

PADMINI DHRUVARAJ @ Bengaluru

TECHNOLOGY leaders at banks across the Asia Pacific expect agentic artificial intelligence to create more technology roles rather than replace them, according to a new survey by Accenture.

The Banking IT Executives Survey found that 74% of banks in the region expect to increase their technology headcount as a result of agentic AI, while only 4% anticipate reducing staff numbers.

Instead of replacing employees, banks are reshaping roles to work alongside AI. More than half (58%) of banks are creating hybrid positions that combine traditional technology responsibilities with AI oversight. Around 30% plan to reskill or redeploy technology staff so they can manage or collaborate with AI-driven processes. However, many banks are still cautious about deploying AI agents at scale. Half of the organisations surveyed said they are currently running pilot projects or using the technology in only a few functions. A further 23% said they are not using AI agents at all.

Banks reshaping roles

Instead of replacing employees, banks are reshaping roles to work alongside AI. Over half (58%) of banks are creating hybrid positions that combine traditional tech responsibilities with AI oversight.

Governance remains a major gap. Only 23% of banks manage AI agents through a formal lifecycle and access model. The remaining 75% either have no formal governance in place, manage agents informally within business units, or track them centrally with limited oversight.

Looking ahead three years, 62% of banks expect moderate adoption of AI agents across several use cases, while only 25% foresee scaled adoption. Just 6% anticipate full integration of AI agents into cross-functional workflows. Legacy technology continues to be a major challenge for banks in the region. About 70% still rely on older in-house core systems such as COBOL or mainframe platforms, or packaged on-premise cores.

AUDI TO RAISE CAR PRICES BY 2%

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

GERMAN luxury car manufacturer Audi on Thursday announced a price increase of up to 2% across its model range due to rise in input costs and currency fluctuations. The price hike will be effective from April 01, 2026.

Balbir Singh Dhillon, brand director, Audi India, said, "Due to recent rising input costs and currency fluctuations, we are implementing a price adjustment of up to 2% effective from April 01, 2026. We remain committed to minimising the impact of the price hike on our customers." Audi India currently sells a range of luxury cars and SUVs ranging from Q3 SUV to SUV RSQ8 priced between ₹43.23 lakh and ₹2.34 crore.

Earlier, rival luxury carmakers such as Mercedes-Benz and BMW had gone for price hikes from January 1, 2026, citing similar pressures from higher input costs and foreign exchange movements.

The fresh hikes come even as most luxury carmakers announced multiple price hikes last year to offset the impact of falling rupee against UD Dollar, Euro and British Pound.

JANA SMALL FINANCE BANK
(A Scheduled Commercial Bank)

Registered Office: The Fairway, Ground & First Floor, Survey No.10/1, 11/2 & 12/2B, Off Domlur, Koramangla Inner Ring Road, Next to EGL Business Park, Challaghatta, Bangalore-560071.

DEMAND NOTICE UNDER SECTION 13(2) OF SARFAESI ACT, 2002.

Whereas you the below mentioned Borrower's, Co-Borrower's, Guarantor's and Mortgagors have availed loans from **Jana Small Finance Bank Limited,** by mortgaging your immovable properties. Consequent to default committed by you all, your loan account has been classified as **Non-performing Asset,** whereas **Jana Small Finance Bank Limited** being a secured creditor under the Act, and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13(2) of the said Act read with rule 2 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued **Demand notice** calling upon the Borrower's/ Co-Borrower's/ Guarantor's/ Mortgagors as mentioned in column No.2 to repay the amount mentioned in the notices with future interest thereon within **60 days** from the date of notice, but the notices could not be served on some of them for various reasons.

Sr. No.	Name of Borrower/ Co-Borrower/ Guarantor/ Mortgagor	Loan Account No. & Loan Amount	Details of the Security to be enforced	Date of NPA & Demand Notice date	Amount Due in Rs. / as on
1	1) Mr. Santhosh Kumar J, 2) Mrs. Padmini	Loan Account No. 33639630000851 33639410000601 Loan Amount: Rs.5,00,000/- Rs.5,00,000/-	**Mortgaged Immovable Property:** All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Site No.344, Assessment No.589/344, Sy.No.587, 588, 589, measuring 20 X 30 feet, situated at Bahaddurpura Limits, Vajapeyi Nagara, Anekal Village, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru Urban District, presently within the limits of TMC Ward No.23 and **Bounded on the: East by:** Site No.345, **West by:** Site No.343, **North by:** Road, **South by:** Site No.361.	Date of NPA: 03-03-2026 Demand Notice Date: 09-03-2026	Rs.7,66,153.50 (Rupees Seven Lakh Sixty Six Thousand One Hundred Fifty Three and Fifty Paisa Only) due as on 17-11-2025

Notice is therefore given to the Borrower/ Co-Borrower/ Guarantor & Mortgagor as mentioned in Column No.2, calling upon them to make payment of the aggregate amount as shown in column No.6, against all the respective Borrower/ Co-Borrower within **60 days** of Publication of this notice as the said amount is found payable in relation to the respective loan account as on the date shown in Column No. 6. It is made clear that if the aggregate amount together with future interest and other amounts which may become payable till the date of payment, is not paid, **Jana Small Finance Bank Limited** shall be constrained to take appropriate action for enforcement of security interest upon properties as described in Column No.4. Please note that this publication is made without prejudice to such rights and remedies as are available to **Jana Small Finance Bank Limited** against the Borrower's/ Co-Borrower's/ Guarantor's/ Mortgagors of the said financials under the law, you are further requested to note that as per section 13(13) of the said act, you are restrained/ prohibited from disposing of or dealing with the above security or transferring by way of sale, lease or otherwise of the secured asset without prior consent of Secured Creditor.

Date: 13.03.2026, Place: Bangalore Rural **Sd/- Authorised Officer, For Jana Small Finance Bank Limited**

PHYSICAL POSSESSION NOTICE

ICICI Bank Branch Office: ICICI Bank Ltd. 4/10, Mythree Tower, Bommanhalli Hosur Main Road Bangalore- 560068

The Authorised ICICI Bank Officer under the Securitisation, Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued Demand Notices to the borrower(s) mentioned below, to repay the amount mentioned in the Notice within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said Notice. Having failed to repay the amount, the Notice is issued to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described below, by exercising powers conferred on him/her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said rules on the below-mentioned dates. The borrower in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property. Any dealings with the property will be subject to charges of ICICI Bank Limited.

Sr. No.	Name of the Borrower(s)/ Loan Account Number	Description of Property/ Date of Physical Possession	Date of Demand Notice/ Amount in Demand Notice (Rs)	Name of Branch
1.	Sabah Rehan Coatwala/ Rehan Abdul Latif Coatwala/ LBMUM00005603552	Schedule 'A' Property All That Piece And Parcel of Land Bearing Site. No.723, Bearing Bbmp Katha No.351/351/723 Situated At 1st Stage, 2nd Block, H.B.R Layout (Hennur Bellary Road Extension), Bengaluru, Now Coming Under The Jurisdiction of Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike, Measuring East To West 50 Feet, North To South 80 Feet, And Totally Measuring 4000 Square Feet, With All Rights, Appurtenances Whatsoever Hereunder, Underneath or Above The Surface And Bounded on The: East By : Site No. 722, West By: Site No. 724, North By : Shop Site, South By : Road'. Schedule 'B' Property 236.83 Square Feet Undivided Share, Right, Title And Interest In The Schedule 'A' Property Mentioned Above. Schedule 'C' Property Flat Bearing No.203/007, on Second Floor, Measuring Super Built Area of About 1095 Sq.ft. In The Building "Slv Paramount", Containing Two Bed Rooms, Together With Rcc Roofing, Semi Vitrified Flooring Along With One Covered Car Parking Space, Including Proportionate Share In Common Area Such As Passages, Lobbies, Staircase, Lifts Etc., In The Said Multi Storied Residential Building Constructed Over Schedule A Property, Present Bbmp Katha No.709/351/723/7/SF230./ Date of Physical Possession on/ 10/03/2026.	23.05.2025 Rs. 59,16,003.68/-	Mumbai

The above-mentioned borrowers(s)/guarantors(s) is/are hereby issued a 30 day Notice to repay the amount, else the mortgaged properties will be sold after 30 days from the date of publishing this Notice, as per the provisions under Rules 8 and 9 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002.

Date: March 13, 2026 Place: Bangalore — Sincerely Authorised Officer, For ICICI Bank Ltd.

Karnataka Bank Ltd.
Your Family Bank. Across India.

Asset Recovery Management Branch,
1st Floor, FKCCI Building, Kempegowda Road, Bengaluru-560009.
Phone: 080-22955928(Gen)/22955929(AGM)
E-Mail: blr.arm@ktkbank.com
Website: https://karnatakabank.com
CIN: L85110KA1924PLC001128

E-AUCTION
NOTICE OF SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES ON 08.04.2026

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8(6) / Rule 9 (1) of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable properties mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the **Constructive Possession** of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer (details mentioned below), will be sold on **"As is where is"and "As is what is" basis on 08.04.2026** at the below mentioned timings for recovery of dues with further interest and cost thereon due to the **Karnataka Bank Ltd.**

The details are as under: Reserve Price and Earnest Money Deposits details are as under & the Earnest Money Deposit shall be deposited on or before **07.04.2026 at 4.00 pm** through online payment to the Account No. details of which are given below or by way of DD favouring **Karnataka Bank Ltd.**

Sl. No.	Name of the Borrowers/Mortgagors/Guarantors/ Co-Obligants and Loan Account No.	Balance O/S Rs. Future Interest From + Costs	Possession Date Possession Type	Description of the Property/ies	Reserve Price (Rs.)	Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) Rs.	Auction Time	Incremental Value of the Bid	Branch Name & Account Details for Remitting EMD/ IFSC Code
2	I) (1) M/s. SKD Exports represented by its Proprietor Mr. Nithin Chakravarthi Balaiah, (2) Mr. Nithin Chakravarthi Balaiah, S/o Balaiah Ramaiah, **No. 1 to 2 addressed at :-** No. 3, Annapoorna, 11th Cross, Pipeline Magadi Road, Vijayanagar, Bengaluru-560023, **(3) Mrs. Kamalamma,** W/o Balaiah Ramaiah, **Residing at:** No. 233, Vidyanagar, Kanchaghatta New Extension, Tiptur, Tumakuru-572201. II) (1) Mr. Nithin Chakravarthi Balaiah, S/o Balaiah Ramaiah, (2) Mrs. Shantala M.S, W/o Mr. Nithin Chakravarthi Balaiah, **No. 1 to 2 addressed at :** No. 3, Annapoorna, 11th Cross, Pipeline Magadi Road, Vijayanagar, Bengaluru-560023, **(3) Mrs. Kamalamma,** W/o Balaiah Ramaiah, **Residing at :** No. 233, Vidyanagar, Kanchaghatta New Extension, Tiptur, Tumakuru-572201. **M/s SKD Exports** **Loan A/c Nos.:** **(1) SLGEN11800206434** **(2) SLGEN11800206446** **(3) SLGEN11800210307** **(4) SLGEN11800210376** **OVERDRAFT ACCOUNT : OD Account No.9087000600005301** **PDPN ACCOUNT : TL Account No. 9087001400000601** **Mr. Nithin Chakravarthi B** **Loan A/c Nos. :** **(1) TL Account No.9087001600022201** **(2) TL Account No 9087001600024401**	**Grand Total Rs. 2,12,12,011.23** **[I)(1) M/s SKD Exports** **(1) Rs.4,64,573/- 01.03.2026** **+** **(2) Rs.6,90,000/- 01.03.2026** **+** **(3) Rs.10,00,000/- 01.03.2026** **+** **(4) Rs.3,35,000/- 01.03.2026** **Pre Shipment Credit Total Rs.24,89,573/-** **OVERDRAFT Rs.1,06,42,665.43 23.01.2024** **PDPN : Rs. 6,01,374.60 22.01.2024** **II) Mr. Nithin Chakravarthi B** **(1) Rs. 62,18,229.00 22.01.2024** **(2) Rs. 12,60,169.20 22.01.2024**	**08.06.2022** **Constructive**	All that part and parcel of the **Residential Property** bearing **Site No 65, New No.3, New PID No.33-19-65, measuring East to West by 30 ft. and North to South by 50 ft , totally measuring 1500 Sq Ft,** with residential building constructed , thereon situated at Ward No 33, 11th Cross, Cholurapalya, Kempapura Agrahara, Vijayanagar, Bangalore-560023 belonging to **Mrs. Kamalamma, Boundaries of property as per Document : East by :** Site No.8, **West by :** Site No.6, **North by :** Site No 2, **South by :** 30 Feet Road.	**Rs. 2,66,30,000/- (Rupees Two Crore Sixty Six Lakh Thirty Thousand Only)**	**Rs. 26,63,000/- (Rupees Twenty Six Lakh Sixty Three Thousand Only)**	**10.15 AM to 10.30 AM**	**Rs. 1,00,000/-**	**Karnataka Bank Ltd Branch: Bengaluru – Sadashivanagar A/c No: 9083500200004101 IFSC:KARB0000908**

(The borrower's/mortgagor's attention is invited to the provisions of Sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to redeem the secured asset).
(This Notice shall also serve as Notice under Sub Rule (6) of Rule (8)Sub Rule (1) of Rule (9) of Security Interest Enforcement Rules-2002 to the Borrower/Guarantors).
For detailed terms and conditions of sale, please refer to link in Karnataka Bank's Website i.e. https://karnatakabank.com under the head "Regulatory and others".
The E-auction will be conducted through portal www.auctionbazaar.com on **08.04.2026** at above mentioned time with unlimited extension of 05 minutes. The intending bidder is required to register their name at **www.auctionbazaar.com** and get the user Id and password free of cost and get training i.e. online training on E-auction (tentatively on **07.04.2026)** from **M/s Auction Bazaar, 7-1-28/1/A/1 Park Avenue 1, Ameerpet, Begumpet, Hyderabad, Secunderbad, Telangana, India, 500016, E-mail : disposal.karnataka@auctionbazaar.com.**

Date : 09.03.2026
Place: Bengaluru
Sd/- Assistant General Manager & Authorised Officer, Karnataka Bank Ltd.

Karnataka Bank Ltd.
Your Family Bank. Across India.

Asset Recovery Management Branch,
1st Floor, FKCCI Building, Kempegowda Road, Bengaluru-560009.
Phone: 080-22955928(Gen)/22955929(AGM)
E-Mail: blr.arm@ktkbank.com
Website: https://karnatakabank.com
CIN: L85110KA1924PLC001128

E-AUCTION
NOTICE OF SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES ON 08.04.2026

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8(6) / Rule 9 (1) of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable properties mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the **Physical Possession** of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer (details mentioned below), will be sold on **"As is where is"and "As is what is" basis on 08.04.2026** at the below mentioned timings for recovery of dues with further interest and cost thereon due to the **Karnataka Bank Ltd.**

The details are as under: Reserve Price and Earnest Money Deposits details are as under & the Earnest Money Deposit shall be deposited on or before **07.04.2026 at 4.00 pm** through online payment to the Account No. details of which are given below or by way of DD favouring **Karnataka Bank Ltd.**

Sl. No.	Name of the Borrowers/Mortgagors/Guarantors/ Co-Obligants and Loan Account No.	Balance O/S Rs. Future Interest From + Costs	Possession Date Possession Type	Description of the Property/ies	Reserve Price (Rs.)	Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) Rs.	Auction Time	Incremental Value of the Bid	Branch Name & Account Details for Remitting EMD/ IFSC Code
1	(1) M/s Akshya Constructions, A Proprietorship Concern, Represented by its Proprietor, Mr. Prasad Raju K, **addressed at:** No.4, Ground Floor, 2nd Cross, MR Garden, KEB Layout, Sanjaynagar, Bengaluru–560094, **(2) Mr. Prasad Raju K,** S/o Mr. Gopalaraju Kondur, **(3) Mrs. Kirthi R,** W/o Mr. Prasad Raju K, **No.2 to 3 are R/at :** No.4, Ground Floor, 2nd Cross, MR Garden, KEB Layout, Sanjaynagar, Bengaluru-560094 and **(4) Mr. Damodaran P,** S/o Mr. Ponnuswamy, **R/at:-** No.9, Lakshmidevamma Block, 5th Cross, Ganganagar, Bengaluru-560032. **Loan A/c Nos.:** **M/s Akshya Constructions** **(1) PSOD A/c No. 1137000600017901** **(2) PDPN A/c No. 1137001400019101** **Mr. Prasad Raju K** **(1) TL A/c No. 1137001600052101** **(2) TL A/c No. 1137001600075701**	**Total Rs.1,91,88,848.70 [Rupees One Crore Ninety One Lakhs Eighty Eight Thousand Eight Hundred Forty Eight and Paisa Seventy Only]** **M/s Akshya Constructions [(1) Rs.60,35,481.00 01.07.2024 + (2) Rs. 28,15,874.98 11.06.2024]** **Mr. Prasad Raju K [(1) Rs.26,62,519.77 04.06.2024 + (2) Rs. 76,74,972.95 04.06.2024]**	**02.04.2025** **Physical**	**Item No.1:-** All that part and parcel of the **Residential Flat No.1, Ground Floor, "Banashankari Homes"** having **SBA of 1080 sq.ft. and proportionate UDS of 410 sq.ft.,** with one covered car parking, constructed on the site bearing No.4, Khata No.207/A, situated at 2nd Cross, Muniramappa Garden, Geddalahalli, Sanjaynagar, Near KEB Layout, Bengaluru-560094 belonging to **Mr. Prasad Raju K. Boundaries of the entire property/Flat: East By :** Road/Open to Sky, **West By :** Site No.16/Open to Sky, **North By :** Site No.3/Door Entrance, **South By :** Site No.5/Open to Sky. **Property Location: Latitude & Longitude: 13.032169' N, 77.580244' E**	**Rs. 72,00,000/- (Rupees Seventy Two Lakhs Only)**	**Rs. 7,20,000/- (Rupees Seven Lakh Twenty Thousand Only)**	**11.30 AM to 11.45 AM**	**Rs. 50,000/-**	**Karnataka Bank Ltd Branch: Bengaluru - Sanjaynagar A/c No: 1133500200004101 IFSC: KARB0000113**
2	**(1) Mr. Mahesh M,** S/o Mr.Mohanaiah **(2) Mrs.Vijayalaxmi M Hiremath,** W/o Mahesh M. Both Residing at: No.23, 1st Floor, ASHIRWAD Building , 1st Main Road, Behind Sun Orthopedic Hospital, Brindavan Nagar, Mathikere, Bangalore-560054. **Also at :** No.1675/B2-A6, Behind Siddaganga School, Near Shani Mahatma Temple, Nittuvalli, HKR Circle, Davanagere-577004 Also at : No.13/33,S B M Colony, Davanagere -577004 **Loan A/c No.:** **TL A/c No.9197001600017001**	**Rs.56,14,851.68 [Rupees Fifty Six Lakh Fourteen Thousand Eight Hundred Fifty One and Paise Sixty Eight Only]** **28.02.2026**	**29.09.2025** **Constructive**	All that piece and parcel of Northern Portion of Property bearing **Site No.11, Municipal Khata No.1411/11,** measuring East to West:50 feet and North to South:20 feet, totally Land measuring **950 Sq.ft (1000 sq.ft** as per Document), situated at Bandemutt, Kengeri Village, Kengeri Hobli, Bengaluru, and the building constructed thereon belonging to **Mr. Mahesh M. Boundaries of property as per Document & Actual: East by:** Road, **West by :** Private Property, **North by:** Private Property, **South by:** Southern Portion of Property No.11. **Location of the property: 12.902436'N : 77.533372'E**	**Rs. 65,00,000/- (Rupees Sixty Five Lakh Only)**	**Rs. 6,50,000/- (Rupees Six Lakh Fifty Thousand Only)**	**11.15 AM to 11.30 AM**	**Rs. 50,000/-**	**Karnataka Bank Ltd Branch : Bengaluru– Kasavanahalli A/c No: 9193500200004101 IFSC:KARB0000919**
3	**(1) Mr.Nagaraju S.B,** S/o Basappa, **(2) Mrs.Manjula T.V,** W/o Nagaraju S.B. **Both are addressed at :** No.673, 3rd Stage, 4th Block, 1st A, B, C Main Road, West of Chord Road, Basaveshwarnagar, Bengaluru-560079. **Loan A/c Nos:** **(1) TL A/c No. 1047001601594001** **(2) TL A/c No. 1047001601601301**	**Total Rs.20,47,480.19 [Rupees Twenty Lakh Forty Seven Thousand Four Hundred Eighty and Paise Nineteen Only]** **[(1) Rs. 17,27,981.56 21.02.2026** **(2) Rs. 3,19,498.63 28.02.2026]**	**29.12.2023** **Constructive**	All that part and parcel of the BDA Site bearing **No.276 ,** measuring 640 Sq Ft (East to West-32.00 Feet and North to South -20.00 feet), with Residential Building Constructed thereon, in the Layout formed by the Bengaluru Development Authority situated at Nagarbhavi 2nd Stage, 3rd Block, BBMP Wrd No.73, Bangalore-560079 belonging to **Mr.Nagaraju S B. Boundaries of property: East by :** Site No. 304, **West by :** Road, **North by:** Site No.275, **South by:** Site No.277. **Property Location: 12.978288.77.513195**	**Rs. 1,03,58,000/- (Rupees One Crore Three Lakh Fifty Eight Thousand Only)**	**Rs. 10,35,800/- (Rupees Ten Lakh Thirty Five Thousand Eight Hundred Only)**	**11.00 AM to 11.15 AM**	**Rs. 1,00,000/-**	**Karnataka Bank Ltd Branch: Bengaluru – Basaveshwarnagar A/c No: 1043500200004101 IFSC: KARB0000104**

(The borrower's/mortgagor's attention is invited to the provisions of Sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to redeem the secured asset).
(This Notice shall also serve as Notice under Sub Rule (6) of Rule 8/Sub Rule (1) of Rule 9 of Security Interest Enforcement Rules-2002 to the Borrower/Guarantors).
For detailed terms and conditions of sale, please refer to link in Karnataka Bank's Website i.e. https://karnatakabank.com under the head "Auction Notice".
The E-auction will be conducted through portal www.auctionbazaar.com on **08.04.2026** at above mentioned time with unlimited extension of 05 minutes. The intending bidder is required to register their name at **www.auctionbazaar.com** and get the user Id and password free of cost and get training i.e. online training on E-auction (tentatively on **07.04.2026**) from **M/s ARCA EMART PVT LTD** (Known by their **website: www.auctionbazaar.com**) Auction Bazaar, 7-1-28/1/A/1, Park Avenue 1, Ameerpet, Begumpet, Hyderabad, Secunderabad, Telangana, India – 500016, **Contact No. :** 8885035382, E-mail : **contact@auctionbazaar.com and disposal.karnataka@auctionbazaar.com.**

Date : 12.03.2026
Place: Bengaluru
Sd/- Assistant General Manager & Authorised Officer, Karnataka Bank Ltd.

Bank of Baroda
बैंक ऑफ़ बड़ौदा Bank of Baroda (A Government of India Undertaking)
Yelahanka New Town Branch
No.1249, Near KHB Building, Yelahanka New Town, Bengaluru-560064.

POSSESSION NOTICE
13(4) (For Immovable Property) APPENDIX- IV under Rule 8(1)

The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of **Bank of Baroda, Yelahanka New Town Branch,** under Securitization And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (Act 54 of 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued a Demand Notice dated **10.12.2025** calling upon the Borrowers /Co-Borrowers/ Mortgagors/ Guarantors, **(1) Sri. Ravikumar** S/o Sri.Muniramappa, Pindakuru Thimmanahalli Village, Rajaghatta Grama Panchayath, Kasaba Hobli, Doddaballpura Taluk, Bengaluru Rural-561203, and Guarantors, **(2) Sri.Muniramappa,** Pindakuru Thimmanahalli Village, Rajaghatta Grama Panchayath, Kasaba Hobli, Doddaballpura Taluk, Bengaluru Rural-561203 and **(3) Smt Rathnamma** W/o Sri Muniramappa, Pindakuru Thimmanahalli Village, Rajaghatta Grama Panchayath, Kasaba Hobli, Doddaballpura Taluk, Bengaluru Rural-561203, to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs. 34,26,393/- (Rupees Thirty Four Lakhs Twenty Six Thousand Three Hundred and Ninety Three Only) (1087666.65 Outstanding OD + 2240.37 (Unapplied Interest) + 10726 (Unserviced Interest) + 633.02 (Overdue) + 90.00 (Compound Interest) + 2163849.64 (Outstanding Term Loan) + 18354.54 (Unapplied interest) + 56686.63 (Unserviced interest) + 85413.12 (Overdue) + 734.00 (Compound Interest) as on 10.12.2025 inclusive of interest up 10.12.2025,** within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice, together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs.

The Borrowers/Guarantors/Mortgagors having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrowers and the public in general, that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described hereinbelow in exercise of powers conferred on him / her under Section 13 (4) of the said Act, read with Rules 8 & 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on this **12th March 2026.**

The borrowers attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

"We further invite your attention to sub section (8) of section 13 of the said Act in terms of which you may redeem the secured assets, if the amount of dues together with all costs, charges and expenses incurred by the Bank is tendered by you, at any time before the date of publication of notice for public auction/inviting quotations/tender /private treaty. Please note that after publication of the notice as above, your right redeem the secured assets will not be available."

The Borrowers/Guarantors/Mortgagors in particular and the public in general hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of **Bank of Baroda** for an amount **Rs.34,26,393/- (Rupees Thirty Four Lakhs Twenty Six Thousand Three Hundred and Ninety Three Only) as on 10.12.2025** inclusive of interest up **10.12.2025** together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs.

Schedule Property : Collateral Securities:

All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Old Khatha No.766/26/2/132, New PID No.150300301000520393, Property No.766/27/3/132, situated at Pindakuru Thimmanahalli Village, Rajaghatta Grama Panchayath, Kasaba Hobli, Doddaballpura Taluk, Bengaluru Rural-561203, measuring East to West 134+134 Feet and North to South 17 Feet, totally measuring 2,278 Square Feet, bounded on the: East by: Road, West by: Sy No.27/1, empty Space, North by: Road, South by: Sy No.27/3, empty Space.

Primary Security: Hypothecation of Stock:

Hypothecation of Stocks (Raw Materials for Bricks) and Machineries (Fully automatic hydraulic fly ash interlocking block making machine (06 Cavity) and its subsidiaries Etc. situated at Pindakuru Thimmanahalli Village, Rajaghatta Grama Panchayath, Kasaba Hobli, Doddaballapura Taluk, Bengaluru Rural-561203.

Date : 12.03.2026 **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Place : Bengaluru **Bank of Baroda**

PUBLIC NOTICE

I, **Y. RAJA REDDY,** S/o. Sami Reddy, residing at #1265, 7th Cross, 1st phase, J.P. Nagar, Bengaluru-560078, states that I am the absolute owner of the immovable properties more fully described in the 'Schedule' hereunder and is hereinafter refereed to as the **'Schedule Properties'.**

I further state that whosever has any doubt or confusion regarding the Schedule Properties shall contact my advocates & consultants at "Sri Sadananda law firm", N.S Bhavan, 1st floor, 1-C, 4th Cross, 4th Main, Behind Moti Mahal Hotel, Gandhinagar, Bengaluru-560 009.
Email ID: sadanandalawfirm@gmail.com Phone No: 78924 55201.

SCHEDULE PROPERTIES
(Description of the Schedule Properties)

All the piece and parcel of immoveable properties being agricultural lands and measuring in **total 8 acres 17 guntas situated at Thatamachanahalli Village and Bullahalli Village, Vijayapura Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural District.**

Sl No.	Sy No.	Extent Acres	Extent Guntas	Boundaries
1	286	01	09	East by: Railway Line; West by: Properties bearing Survey Nos.288; North by: Properties bearing Survey Nos. 287; and, South by: Property bearing Survey No.285.
2	35/5	00	24	East by: Property bearing Survey No.37; West by: Property bearing Survey No.26/1, 26/2 and 26/3; North by: Property bearing Survey No. 35/4; and South by: Properties bearing Survey Nos. 36 and 25/1
3	24/10	00	9	East by: Property bearing Survey No.24/11; West by: Properties bearing Survey Nos. 24/9; North by: Property bearing Survey No.24/6B; and South by:Property bearing Survey No.19/1.
4	24/7	00	10	East by: Property bearing Survey No.24/08; West by: Property bearing Survey No.24/14; North by: Property bearing Survey No.24/6B; and South by: Property bearing Survey No.24/17 and 24/18;
5	19/5	00	6½	East by: Property bearing Survey No.19/6; West by: Property bearing Survey No.19/2; North by: Property bearing Survey No.19/1; and South by: Property bearing Survey No.19/4.
6	20/2	00	05	East by: Property bearing Survey No.20/3B; West by: Property bearing Survey No.20/1; North by: Property bearing Survey No.22/2; and South by: Property bearing Survey No.288/2 and 282/2;
7	13/7	00	08	East by: Property bearing Survey No.14/5; West by: Property bearing Survey No.13/11; North by: Properties bearing Survey Nos.13/6 ; and South by: Properties bearing Survey Nos. 13/8
8	19/2	00	14	East by: Property bearing Survey No.19/5; West by: Property bearing Survey No.18/9; North by: Properties bearing Survey Nos.19/1; and South by: Properties bearing Survey Nos. 19/3
9	19/6	00	05	East by: Property bearing Survey No.20/1; West by: Property bearing Survey No.19/5; North by: Properties bearing Survey Nos.19/1; and South by: Properties bearing Survey Nos. 19/4
10	14/4	00	03	East by: Property bearing Survey No.24/15; West by: Property bearing Survey No.15/5; North by: Properties bearing Survey Nos.14/1 ; and South by: Properties bearing Survey Nos. 14/2 and 14/3
11	15/5	00	01	East by: Property bearing Survey No.14/4; West by: Property bearing Survey No.14/5; North by: Properties bearing Survey Nos.14/1 ; and South by: Properties bearing Survey Nos. 15/2
12	24/15	00	04	East by: Property bearing Survey No.22/2 and 23; West by: Property bearing Survey No.14/4; North by: Properties bearing Survey Nos.24/3 ; and South by: Properties bearing Survey Nos. 24/4
13	20/3C	00	10	East by: Property bearing Survey No.20/3A; West by: Property bearing Survey No.20/3B; North by: Properties bearing Survey Nos.22/2 ; and South by: Properties bearing Survey Nos. 288/2
14	22/2	01	36	East by: Railway Line; West by: Properties bearing Survey Nos.22/1 and 24/6A North by: Properties bearing Survey Nos. 23: And South by: Property bearing Survey No.21/1,22/2,20/3, and 23/A,B,C
15	23	00	32	East by: Railway Line; West by: Properties bearing Survey Nos.24/1B, 24/2B,24/3,25/1& 25/2 North by: Properties bearing Survey Nos. 36: And South by: Property bearing Survey.22/2:
16	22/2	00	19	East by: Railway Line; West by: Properties bearing Survey Nos.22/1 24 ,24/6A and 24/19, North by: Properties bearing Survey Nos. 23: And South by: Property bearing Survey Nos.20/2, 20/3B,24/3C ,and 20/3A:
17	23	00	08	East by: Railway Line; West by: Properties bearing Survey Nos.24/1B , 24/3B and 24/3C North by: Properties bearing Survey Nos. 36: And South by: Property bearing Survey.22/2:
18	84	00	21½	East by: Properties bearing Survey Nos.84/2, West by: Properties bearing Survey Nos.85/4, North by: Properties bearing Survey Nos. Bullahalli boundary: And South by: Property bearing Survey.83/2:
19	20/2	00	05	East by: Properties bearing Survey Nos.23/3B; West by: Properties bearing Survey Nos.22/1 North by: Properties bearing Survey Nos. 22/2, South by: Property bearing Survey.288/2 and 289/2
20	289/1	00	06	East by: Properties bearing Survey Nos.289/2 ; West by: Properties bearing Survey Nos.291/4 and 291/5, North by: Properties bearing Survey Nos 20/1: And South by: Property bearing Survey.288/2and 289/3 Survey
21	289/1	00	21	East by: Properties bearing Survey Nos.289/2 ; West by: Properties bearing Survey Nos.291/4 and 291/5, North by: Properties bearing Survey Nos 19/4and 20/1: And South by: Property bearing Survey.288/3;

Date: 13.03.2026 ***Sd/-* Sadananda, Advocate**
Place: Bengaluru **SRI SADANANDA LAW FIRM**

QuoteExpress
THE SECRET OF GETTING AHEAD IS GETTING STARTED › MARK TWAIN

बैंक ऑफ़ बड़ौदा Bank of Baroda

Basaveshwaranagar Branch

No.119/18, 80 Ft Road, K H B Colony, Basaveshewara Nagar, Bangalore-560079. Email: vjbasa@bankofbaroda.co.in

SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY "APPENDIX-IV-A[See proviso to Rule 6 (2) & 8 (6)]

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 6 (2) & 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s), Mortgagor(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, possession of which has been taken by the Authorized Officer of **Bank of Baroda,** Secured Creditor, will be sold on **16.04.2026 "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is"** basis for recovery of dues in below mentioned account/s. The details of Borrower/s/ Mortgagor/s/ Guarantor/s/ Secured Asset/s/Dues/Reserve Price/e-Auction date & Time, EMD and Bid Increase Amount are mentioned below –

Sl. No.	Name & Address Of Borrower/s /Guarantor/ S/ Mortgagor (s)	Short Description Of The Immovable Property With Known Encumbrances, If Any	A. Branch Name B. Account Number C. Total Dues	Date & Time of E-Auction	A. Reserve Price B. EMD Amount C. Bid Increase Amount D. Last Date Of Receipt Of EMD E. Status Of Possession	Property Inspection Date (With Prior Permission From Authorised Officer)
1	**(1) Mr.B Shivakumar Gouda (Borrower)** S/o Mr. Veerabhadrappa Bhoomapuram **(2) Mrs .Jyothi S (Co-Borrower)** W/o Shivakumar Gouda, **Both are residing at :** No.1442, Atreya Residency, Railway Parallel Road, B Block, Shakarnagar, Bangalore-560092. **Also residing at :** Flat No.212, Second Floor, SSVR Fairy bells, Bytaranpura Village, Yelahanka, Hobli, Bangalore-560092. **(3) Mr. Shiva Prasad S (Guarantor),** No.35, Manjunath Nagar, Attur Main Road, Near Swami Vivekanand School, Bangalore-560064.	**SCHEDULE "A" PROPERTY:** All that piece and parcel of the land bearing Sy No 83/2 measuring 1 acre converted from agricultural to non agricultural residential purpose vide the orders of the special Deputy orders Commissioner vide BDS: ALN: Sr(NA)378/04-05 dated 17-01-2025 situated at Byatarayanapura village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North (Additional) Taluk, Bangalore bounded on the: East: Srimati's Land, West NTI Layout, North NTI Layout, South: 30 Feet Road. **SCHEDULE "B" PROPERTY:** An undivided share of 552 Sq ft Prin the Schedule A property proportionate to the sale area of the apartment. **SCHEDULE "C" PROPERTY:** Apartment bearing No 212 in the 2nd Floor bearing BBMP Khata No 2986/83/2/36/SF-212 measuring 1200 sq Ft Super Built Up Area having Two Bedrooms with vitrified flooring, together with one car parking space in the apartment complex known as SSVR FAIRY BELLS constructed on the Schedule A property along with common rights in respect of common areas and amenities or thereabouts	**A. Basaveshwaranagar Branch B. 74690600000634 C. Rs. 57,62,903.71/- (Rupees Fifty Seven Lakhs Sixty Two Thousand Nine Hundred Three and Paisa Seventy One only) As On 28.09-2024 With Further Interest From 27.09.2024 Along With Costs And Other Charges etc.**	16.04.2026 2.00 PM to 6.00 PM	A. RS 63,00,000/- B. Rs 6,30,000/- C. RS 50,000/- D. 16-04-2026 E. Symbolic	With Prior Permission From Authorised Officer Contact : 9833009762

For detailed terms and conditions of sale, please refer/visit to the website link https://www.bankofbaroda.in/e-auction and online auction portal https://Baanknet.com Also, prospective bidders may contact the Authorised officer on Tel No: 080-23201561, Mobile. 9833009762.

Date: 12.03.2026
Place:- Bengaluru

Authorised Officer
Bank of Baroda

BENGALURU SMART INFRASTRUCTURE LIMITED

O/o Superintending Engineer-01, (B-Smile), 3rd Floor, Annex-2 Building, N.R Square, Bengaluru - 560 002. Email: eeprojectscentral4@gmail.com Mob: 9480685170

No: SE-01(B-Smile)/TEND/03/2025-26 Date: 12.03.2026

INVITATION FOR TENDER (IFT)

(Through Karnataka Public Procurement Portal only) (Short Term Tender Notification)

The Superintending Engineer -01 (B-Smile), on behalf of the Managing Director (B-SMILE) Greater Bengaluru Authority (GBA), invites SHORT TERM Proposals (Technical and Financial) for appointing Consultant for "Project Management Consultancy Services including Proof Checking for Construction Supervision, Project Management and Quality Control for the Work listed below"

Sl. No.	Name of the Work/EMD in Rupees
1	"Project Management Consultancy Services including Proof Checking for Construction Supervision, Project Management and Quality Control for the Work of Comprehensive Development of Roads by Providing White Topping in Hebbala Constituency Under Gok Grants 2023-24". EMD **Rs.1,46,000/-.**

Calendar of events: 1) Availability of RFP Document: **12.03.2026 onwards. 2)** Last date for receipt of queries is **17.03.2026 upto 17:30 Hrs.** in e-portal. **3)** Date of Pre bid meeting at the office of Chief Engineer-01 (BSMILE), Annex-3 Building, 4th Floor, N.R Square, Bengaluru - 560 002 **18.03.2026 @ 15:00 hrs. 4)** Last Date for submission of Proposals: **23.03.2026 up to 17.29 hours. 5)** Date of Opening of Technical Proposals: **24.03.2026, after 17.30 hours.**

Sd/- Superintending Engineer-1, B-SMILE Greater Bengaluru Authority

IN THE COURT OF XVII ADDL. CITY CIVIL AND SESSIONS JUDGE AT BENGALURU O.S. NO. 6232/2021 (CCH-16)

BETWEEN: Nexthermal MFO (1) pvt. ltd., at No.89/2, Plot No. 13, 14, 15, 31 & 32, Vaishodevi Lush Greens Industrial Estate, Gerupalya Village, Bengaluru-560074, Represented by its Assistant Manager HR, Ms. Ramaa .S. ... **PLAINTIFF**

AND: Sri. Laxmipathi Siddachari ... **DEFENDANT**

SUMMONS TO DEFENDANT U/O V RULE 20 OF THE CODE OF CIVIL PROCEDURE

Sri. Laxmipathi Siddachari, aged about 52 years, S/o. Sri. Siddachari, R/o. Flat No. 6H-507, Provident Sunworth Apartment, Near Nice Mysore Road, Venkatapura Village, Kengeri Hobli, Bengaluru-560060. Also at No. 441,COX TOWN, Jeevanahalli, Bangalore-560005 Karnataka.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Whereas the above named has made petition to this court under Order VII rule 1 of the Code of Civil procedure for directing the defendant to pay a sum of Rs. 50,00,000/- (Rupees fifty lakhs only) towards the damages to the Plaintiff company, to grant permanent injunction restraining the defendant from working with any Competitor Company for a period of 3 years from the date of his resignation.

You are hereby summoned to appear in this court in person or by pleader duly instructed on **25/03/2026** at **11:00 A.M.** inform to show cause against the plaintiff failing wherein the appearance will be heard and declared as Ex-parte.

Given under my hand and seal of the court, on this 09/02/2026

By order of the Court, Senior Sheristedar, City Civil Court, Bengaluru

SURESH BABU RAJ .D, Advocate
SURESH LAW ASSOCIATES
No. 3/2, 1st floor, Sri Rama Commercial Complex, Near Halasuru Metro Station, Halasuru, Bengaluru-560008.
Ph. No. 9448040397/9108585329
Email ID-suresh.baburaj@gmail.com

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to the public at large that my client Sri.Dr.Anirudh V, aged about 44years S/o Sri N.A. Venugopal, residing at No.18/22, "Narayani", 7th Cross, 2nd Block, Near Ashoka Pillar, Jayanagar 3rd Block, Bangalore – 560011, intends to purchase the Schedule Property described herein below from its present owner Sri. Rangaswamy, aged about 86 years, S/o Late Srinivas Iyengar, residing at No.19/1, 10th Cross, 1st Main Road, Temple Street, Malleshwaram, Bangalore – 560003.

Therefore, any person or persons, banks, financial institutions or any other authorities having any claim, right, title, interest, charge, lien, mortgage, inheritance or any other encumbrance whatsoever over the Schedule Property described hereunder, are hereby called upon to notify the same in writing with documentary proof to the undersigned within 10 (Ten) days from the date of publication of this notice.

Failing which, it shall be presumed that no such claim exists, and my client shall proceed with the purchase of the said property, and any claim made thereafter shall not be binding on my client.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of Property bearing Present Municipal No.44-50, New E-PID No.6643713473, [formerly Property bearing Municipal No.50 (Old No.44), PID No.62-121-50], situated at 1st MAIN, 1st BLOCK, JAYANAGAR, BBMP Old Ward No.62 (Hombegowdanagar), New Ward No.153 (Jayanagar), Bangalore, measuring East to West : 90-0 (Ninety) Feet and North to South : 45-0 (Forty five) Feet in all measuring 4050 Sq. Feet along with 6 Squares Ground Floor and 6 Squares First Floor R.C.C. Roofed House constructed thereon, the house is built up by brick and cement, the doors and windows are made by jungle wood, Mosaic Oxide flooring with electricity facility and bounded as follows :

East by: 1st Main Road (10th 'A' Main Road)
West by : Property No.34
North by : Property No.45
South by : Property No.43,

Mr. M.VENKATESH, Advocates
Office at No. 59/1, 1ST Floor,
1st 'N' Block, Near Vidyavardhaka School,
Rajajinagar, Bengaluru-560010.

HDFC BANK LIMITED

Regd. Office: HDFC Bank House, Senapati Bapat Marg, Lower Parel (West), Mumbai - 400013
Branch: #51, HDFC House, Kasturba Road, Bangalore 560 001
Tel:-080-41183000 CIN L65920MH1994PLC080618 Website: www.hdfcbank.com

DEMAND NOTICE

Under Section 13 (2) of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (Act) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Whereas the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of **HDFC Bank Limited** (erstwhile HDFC Limited having amalgamated with HDFC Bank Limited by virtue of a Scheme of Amalgamation approved by Hon'ble NCLT-Mumbai vide order dated 17th March 2023) **(HDFC)** under Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement Of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Section13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002, issued Demand Notices under Section 13 (2) of the said Act, calling upon the Borrower(s) / Legal Heir(s) / Legal Representative(s) listed hereunder, to pay the amounts mentioned in the respective Demand Notice/s, within 60 days from the date of the respective Notice/s, as per details given below. The undersigned have, caused these Notices to be pasted on the premises of the last known respective addresses of the said Borrower(s) / Legal Heir(s) / Legal Representative(s). Copies of the said Notices are available with the undersigned, and the said Borrower(s) / Legal Heir(s) / Legal Representative(s), may, if they so desire, collect the respective copy from the undersigned on any working day during normal office hours.

In connection with the above, Notice is hereby given, once again, to the said Borrower(s) / Legal Heir(s) / Legal Representative(s) to pay to **HDFC,** within 60 days from the date of publication of this Notice, the amounts indicated herein below in their respective names, together with further interest as detailed in the said Demand Notices from the respective dates mentioned below in column (c) till the date of payment and / or realization, read with the loan agreement and other documents/writings, if any, executed by the said Borrower(s). As security for due repayment of the loan, the following Secured Asset(s) have been mortgaged to **HDFC** by the said Borrower (s) respectively.

Borrower(s) / Legal Heir(s) / Legal Representative(s) attention is invited to the provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to redeem the secured asset/s.

Sr. No.	Name of Borrower(s) / Legal Heir(s) / Legal Representative (s)	Total Outstanding Dues	Date of Demand Notice	Description of Secured Asset in respect of which Security Interest has been created
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(f)
1	**1) Mr. Deepak Chandran (Borrower) Kaybee Private Limited,** Designation: Senior Executive Department: Quality Control, Employee No: 0001, No-4164, Office Space, 13th A Main, Next to New Horizon, Indira Nagar, Bengaluru-560008. **1) Mr. Deepak Chandran (Borrower) 2) Mrs. Priya Bhaskar (Co-Borrower)** Both are residing at: # 18, 1st Cross, 10th Cross, 1st Block, T Chandraiah Layout, T C Palya, Doorvaninagar, Near Oriental Bank, Bengaluru-560016, Also at : Flat-413, 4th Floor, Navya Nisarga S No 46/2, Margondanahalli, Bidarahalli Hobli, Bengaluru-560016.	**Loan A/c No. 1) 632151836 Rs.37,52,377/- 2) 633959559 Rs. 1,56,737/- Total Amount Rs.39,09,114/- [Rupees Thirty Nine Lakhs Nine Thousand One Hundred and Fourteen Only] as on 03.03.2026**	03.03.2026 ..... N.P.A. Date: (e) 04.12.2024	**Schedule A :** All that piece and parcel of the residentially Converted land presently bearing **Re-Sy.No.46/3,** earlier **Sy.No.46/2 (Old No.46),** measuring **1 Acre 11 Guntas,** (converted vide Official Memorandum dated 03.06.2013, bearing No.ALN(E.B.B)S.R/08/13-14, issued by Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District) presently bearing Bidarahalli Village Panchayat Katha **No.5636/46/3,** Property **Sl.No.150200400100520343,** situated at Maragondanahalli Village, Bidarahalli Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk and Bounded as: East by : Road & Sy.No.46/2, West by : Kalkere boundary, North by : Sy.No.50, South by : Sy.No.45. **Schedule B : 452 Sq. feet** undivided share, right, title and interest in the Schedule A Property (proportionate to the Schedule C Property). **Schedule C : Flat bearing No.413,** Bidarahalli Village Panchayat **E –Katha SL.No. 150200400100520864,** in the **Fourth Floor,** measuring **854 Sq.feet** of carpet area and **261 Sq.feet** of common area(including wall thickness of the said flat) totally measuring **1115 Sq.feet** Super Built Up Area, containing Two bed rooms, constructed with RCC Roofing, vitrified tiles flooring, together with one covered car parking space, along with proportionate share in common areas such as passages, lobbies, staircase and lift, in the building know as **"Navya Nisarga",** constructed on the Schedule 'A' Property.
2	**1) Mr. Baskaran Benny Charles Daniel (Borrower) VB Health Solutions Private Limited, Designation:** Chairman, No.1, 2nd Floor, SLN Emeraalds, AECS Layout, Sanjay Nagar,RMV Extension II Stage, Bengaluru - 560094. **1) Mr. Baskaran Benny Charles Daniel (Borrower) 2) Mrs. Devapriya Angeleena (Co-Borrower) Both are residing at:** No.472, 4th A Main, 7th Cross, RMV Extension 2nd Stage, Near ICICI Bank ATM, Bangalore North, Bangalore 560094. **Also at:** Flat-D-G02, Floor-Ground, Urbana Alcove- C, D, E & F Block, S No 90P, Kannamangala Village, Kasaba Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural Dist, Yelahanka, Bengaluru 562110.	**Loan A/c Nos. 1) 651798533 Rs.87,33,912/- 2) 652285259 Rs.13,13,958/- Total Amount Rs.1,00,47,870/- (Rupees One Lakh Forty Seven Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy Only) as on 31.01.2026**	04.03.2026 ..... N.P.A. Date: (e) 05.03.2025	**Schedule 'A' Property:** All that piece and parcel of land admeasuring 1 Acre 16 in Survey No. **90P1(131)** situated at Kannamangala Village, Kasaba Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural District bounded on the: **East by:** Road &other properties; **West by :** Poojanahalli Village boundary & Private Property; **North by:** Remaining Portion of Sy.No.90P1(131); **South by:** Private Property. **Schedule 'B' Apartment: 1386 Sq.Ft.,** undivided share, right, title and interest in the SCHEDULE 'A' PROPERTY corresponding to the super built-up area of the following Apartment. A Three Bedroom Apartment bearing No. **G02**, on the Ground Floor, in the 'D' Block of the multi-block residential complex known as **"URBANA ALCOVE"** to be constructed in the SCHEDULE 'A' PROPERTY, having Super Built Up Area of 2289 Square Feet and Carpet area of 1695 Square Feet (which is inclusive of the floors, ceiling and walls between the apartments and the common areas attributable thereto) with Two (02) number of Covered Parking Spaces.

*with further interest cost, expenses, and charges as applicable incurred till the date of payment and / or realization. If the said Borrower (s) / Legal Heir(s) / Legal Representative(s) fail to make payment to **HDFC Bank Limited** as aforesaid, then **HDFC Bank Limited** shall proceed against the above Secured Asset / Immovable Property under Section 13 (4) of the said Act and the applicable Rules entirely at the risk of the said Borrower(s) / Legal Heir(s) / Legal Representative(s) as to the costs and consequences.

The said Borrower (s) / Legal Heir(s) / Legal Representative(s) are prohibited under the said Act to transfer the aforesaid Secured Asset / Immovable Property, whether by way of sale, lease or otherwise without the prior written consent of **HDFC Bank Limited**. Any person who contravenes or abets contravention of the provisions of the Act or Rules made thereunder shall be liable for imprisonment and/or penalty as provided under the Act.

Date : 13.03.2026
Place: Bengaluru

For HDFC Bank Ltd.
Sd/- Authorized Officer of HDFC Bank Ltd. under SARFAESI Act, 2002

सेन्ट्रल बैंक ऑफ़ इंडिया Central Bank of India

CENTRAL TO YOU SINCE 1911

Regional Office : 14/15, Variety Hall Road, Coimbatore - 641 001

MEGA E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE

(UNDER SARFAESI ACT 2002)

Whereas, the Authorized Officer of Central Bank of India had taken possession of the following schedule mentioned properties on the dates mentioned below, under sec. 13(4) of the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, pursuant to the demand notice dated as mentioned below, issued under Sec 13(2) of the said Act, in the following loan accounts with right to sell the same for realization of Bank's dues plus interest as detailed hereunder. And whereas consequent upon failure to repay the dues by the borrower / guarantor / mortgagor, the undersigned, in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(4) (a) of the Said Act read with rule 8 and 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 proposes to realize the Bank's dues by sale of the said properties. The Sale will be done by the undersigned through e-auction platform provided at the **website : https://baanknet.com**

Branch : Hosur Branch. Name of the Loan Account : Borrower : M/s. Luxrus Ceramic Solutions Pvt Ltd - Represented by its Directors (1) Mrs.Manimozhi Ulaganathan, W/o.Mr.Parthiban Palanivel, (2) Mr.Parthiban Palanivel, S/o.Chinnagounder Palanivel, No.23, Opp.N.M.D.C. Government Office, Kanakapura Main Road, Basavanagudi, Bangalore - 560004. **Director and Guarantors: (1) Mrs.Manimozhi Ulaganathan, W/o.Mr.Parthiban Palanivel, Director : Luxrus Ceramic Solutions Pvt Ltd,** Door No.5, Muthukallipatty (P.O), Rasipuram (TK), Namakkal District - 637401, Tamilnadu. Current Address : 359, 4th Cross, South Avenue Layout, Gottigere (V), Bangalore - 560083. **(2) Mr.Mr.Parthiban Palanivel, S/o.Mr.Chinnagounder Palanivel, Director : Luxrus Ceramic Solutions Pvt Ltd,** Door No.5, Muthukallipatty (P.O), Rasipuram (TK), Namakkal District - 637401, Tamilnadu. Current Address : 359, 4th Cross, South Avenue Layout, Gottigere (V), Bangalore - 560083 **Amount Due : Rs.6,40,25,120.00 as on 11.03.2026** and interest plus other charges thereon. **Demand Notice Date : 07.07.2021. Physical Possession taken on : 21.09.2021. Description of the Immovable Property : Schedule A :** Within the limits of Bruhuth Bangalore Mahanagar Palike, Anjanapura Sub Division, Ward No.194, Layout known as South Avenue, Gottigere Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Katha No.1579/4196/279, Old Nos.1579/276/279 + 1576/4197/280 + 1567/4198/281, Site Nos.279, 280 and 281. Extent : 3702 Sq.ft (975 + 1249 + 1478). Boundaries : East : Park, West : Site No.282, North : Road, South : Private Property. **Schedule B :** Flat bearing Katha No.1579/4196/279/F-2, Constructed on First Floor of Schedule A Property having super Built-up area of 3000 sq.ft and Un-divided share of 1332 sq.ft in Schedule A Property, along with Car parking in the Stilt Floor, in the residential building by name "MADURA YUGO". **The above Property belongs to Mrs.Manimozhi Ulaganathan. Reserve Price : Rs.1,33,50,000.00 . EMD : Rs.13,35,000/-. Bid Increase Amount : Rs.1,00,000/-.**

Date of Auction : 30.03.2026. Time of Auction : 11.00 AM to 4.00 PM with auto extension of 10 minutes. Date of Inspection of the Property : On all working days between 23.03.2026 and 27.03.2026 between 10 AM and 4 PM with the prior appointment of branch manager. Last Date of Remitting EMD : 30.03.2026 upto 1.00 PM. Authorized Officer - Mobile No : 8489903009 / Chief Manager (RO) - Mobile No : 8489903057

TERMS & CONDITIONS : 1. The auction sale will be online E-Auction/Bidding through website **https://baanknet.com** the above specified date & time (with unlimited auto extension of 5 minutes till the conclusion of sale). **2.** Bids shall be submitted through online on or before **30.03.2026 upto 1.00 p.m**. **3.** The E-Auction is being held on "PHYSICAL POSSESSION BASIS". **4.** Intending bidders are required to go through the website **https://baanknet.com** for detailed terms and conditions of auction sale before submitting their bids and taking part in the e-auction sale proceedings. **5.** Successful bidder/purchaser will remit TDS @ 1% on sale proceeds on immovable property/ies of value Rs.50.00 lacs and above as per Sec 194 IA of the income tax Act 1961 and deposit the same by furnishing the challan in Form 26QB and submit the Original receipt of TDS Certificate to Bank. **6.** For further any property related query may contact **Authorized Officer - Mobile No : 8489903009 / Chief Manager (RO) - Mobile No : 8489903057, Central Bank of India, Regional Office, Coimbatore, E-Mail Ids: bmcoim2071@centralbank.co.in / recvcoimro@centralbank.bank.in** during office hours during the working days and after Registration by the bidder in the web portal, intending bidder/purchaser is required to get the copies of the following documents uploaded in Web Portal before last date of submission of the bid viz 1) Copy of NEFT/RTGS Challan, 2) Copy of PAN Card, 3) Identification (KYC) viz self attested copy of Voter ID Card / Driving Licence / Passport etc., 4) Copy of proof of address, without which the bid is liable to be rejected.

Date : 11.03.2026
Place : Hosur

Authorised officer
Central Bank of India

Karnataka Bank Ltd.

Your Family Bank. Across India.

Asset Recovery Management Branch,
1st Floor, FKCCI Building, Kempegowda Road, Bengaluru-560009.
Phone: 080-22955928(Gen)/22955929(AGM)
E-Mail: blr.arm@ktkbank.com
Website: https://karnatakabank.com
CIN: L85110KA1924PLC001128

E-AUCTION

NOTICE OF SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES ON 08.04.2026

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8(6) / Rule 9 (1) of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable properties mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the **Constructive Possession** of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer (details mentioned below), will be sold on **"As is where is"and "As is what is" basis on 08.04.2026** at the below mentioned timings for recovery of dues with further interest and cost thereon due to the **Karnataka Bank Ltd.**

The details are as under: Reserve Price and Earnest Money Deposits details are as under & the Earnest Money Deposit shall be deposited on or before **07.04.2026 at 4.00 pm** through online payment to the Account No. details of which are given below or by way of DD favouring **Karnataka Bank Ltd.**

Sl. No.	Name of the Borrowers/Mortgagors/Guarantors/ Co-Obligants and Loan Account No.	Balance O/S Rs. Future Interest From + Costs	Possession Date Possession Type	Description of the Property/ies	Reserve Price (Rs.)	Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) Rs.	Auction Time	Incremental Value of the Bid	Branch Name & Account Details for Remitting EMD/ IFSC Code
1	**(1) M/s Aria Brew & Dine Pvt Ltd,** Represented by its Directors **(a) Mr. Ravishankar K R, (b) Mr. Adit R Gowda, (c) Mr. Amit R Gowda,** No 40/1, Century Corbel Commercial, 3rd Floor, Sahakarnagar Main Road, Sahakar Nagar , Bengaluru-560091 **(2) Mr. Ravishankar K R,** S/o Mr. Rudregowda K C, No.824, 24th Main, Sarakki Extension, J P Nagar 6th Phase, Bengaluru-560078 **(3) Mr. Adit R Gowda ,** S/o Mr Ravishankar K R , No.824, 24th Main, Sarakki Extension, J P Nagar , 6th Phase, Bengaluru-560078 **(4) Mr. Amit R Gowda,** S/o Ravishankar K R, No.824, 24th Main, Sarakki Extension, J P Nagar, 6th Phase, Bengaluru-560078 **(5) Mrs. Anitha Ravishankar,** W/o Mr. Ravishankar K R No.824, 24th Main, Sarakki Extension, J P Nagar, 6th Phase, Bengaluru-560078 **(6) M/s Sreenivasa Enterprises Represented by its Partners : (a) Mr. Ravishankar K R, (b) Mrs Anitha Ravishankar,** No.824, 24th Main, Sarakki Extension, J P Nagar , 6th Phase, Bengaluru-560078. **Loan A/c Nos.: (1) PSOD A/c 0627000600108201 (2) TL A/c 0627001650556701 (3) TL A/c 0627001650560701 (4) TL A/c 0627001650566601 (5) PSTL A/c 0627001800041001**	**Total Rs.24,76,20,495.10 [Rupees Twenty Four Crore Seventy Six Lakh Twenty Thousand Four Hundred Ninety Five and Paise Ten Only) [(1) Rs.8,75,31,403.96 01.03.2026 + (2) Rs.1,72,60,956.84 11.03.2026 + (3) Rs.7,10,15,951.46 11.03.2026 + (4) Rs.67,97,093.44 11.03.2026 + (5) Rs.6,50,15,089.40 11.03.2026]**	09.04.2025 Constructive	All that part and parcel of vacant converted Land measuring **1 Acre 4 Guntas** (as per document) and **35,340 Sq ft** (as per actual) bearing **Sy No. 15/3, BBMP Khata No.460/15/3 and PID No. 194-W0691-1/1,** Pillaganahalli Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bengaluru, belonging to **Mrs. Anitha Ravishankar. Boundaries of property as per Document : East by :** Property belongs to Mr.Thirumalappa, **West by :** Road, **North by :** Land in the same Sy No. belonging to Mr. Ravishankar K R, **South by :**Remaining land in the same Sy No. belonging to Sri. Loknath and Sharadamma. **Location: 12.856891'N 77.580133'E**	**Rs. 25,00,00,000/- (Rupees Twenty Five Crore Only)**	**Rs. 2,50,00,000/- (Rupees Two Crore Fifty Lakh Only)**	**10.45 AM to 11.00 AM**	**Rs. 10,00,000/-**	**Karnataka Bank Ltd Branch : Bengaluru – Minerva Circle A/c No: 0623500200004101 IFSC:KARB0000062**

(The borrower's/mortgagor's attention is invited to the provisions of Sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to redeem the secured asset).

(This Notice shall also serve as Notice under Sub Rule (6) of Rule (8)Sub Rule (1) of Rule (9) of Security Interest Enforcement Rules-2002 to the Borrower/Guarantors).

For detailed terms and conditions of sale, please refer to link in Karnataka Bank's Website i.e. https://karnatakabank.com under the head "Regulatory and others".

The E-auction will be conducted through portal www.auctionbazaar.com on **08.04.2026** at above mentioned time with unlimited extension of 05 minutes. The intending bidder is required to register their name at **www.auctionbazaar.com** and get the user Id and password free of cost and get training i.e. online training on E-auction (tentatively on **07.04.2026**) from **M/s Auction Bazaar, 7-1-28/1/A/1 Park Avenue 1, Ameerpet, Begumpet, Hyderabad, Secunderbad, Telangana, India-500016, E-mail : disposal.karnataka@auctionbazaar.com.**

Date : 11.03.2026
Place: Bengaluru

Sd/- Assistant General Manager & Authorised Officer, Karnataka Bank Ltd.

STATE BANK OF INDIA

Home Loan Centre, Whitefield (17753)
No.117, Ground Floor, Neil Rao Towers, Road No.3, EPIP Phase 1, Whitefield Road, Bengaluru – 560066.
Tel: 080-28411010/1020
E-Mail: sbi.17753@sbi.co.in

AUCTION CANCELLATION

Reference to the E-auction sale notice dated 12.06.2025 and its paper publication in The New Indian Express and Samyuktha Karnataka on 17.06.2025 pertaining to loan account of Sri.Kota Venkaiah S/o Sri. Kota Tirupati Reddy and Smt.Trupti Mayee Sahoo D/o Sri. Balaram Sahoo (**Tender No: SBI/HLCW/2025-26/01**) which was scheduled on **18.07.2025** is cancelled.

Sd/-
12.03.2026 Authorised Officer
Bangalore

PUBLIC NOTICE

LOST

The General Public is hereby notified that our client N.Sudhama is the sole and absolute owner of the schedule property. That the Original Sale Deed dated 14.12.1974 executed by Sri.M.Venkoba Rao and others in favour of Sri.Shanbhogha Narayanappa and Smt.K.N.Lalithamma (Registered as Doc.No.5099/1974-75, Book – I, Volume – 2532 at Pages 45 to 48, in the office of Sub-Registrar, Gandhinagar, Bangalore) got misplaced. In this connection, a police complaint has been lodged by **our client** on 03.03.2026 online Lost Report No. 2090315/2026.

Any person finds the document may handover the same to the undersigned and also if any person has/have claim on the said property, may lodge such claim with the undersigned within 7 days from the date of this notice. If the said document is misused by anybody, it shall not be binding on our client and he/she/they shall be doing so at his/her/their own costs & risks and also if no such claim(s) or objections received within the stipulated time, the undersigned will issue certificate of clearance that, there is no objections or claim(s) on the schedule property.

SCHEDULE

All the piece and parcel of Residential Property bearing Municipal Old No.1/1, New No.76, situated at Kavadi Revannashetty Pet, Division No.41, Bangalore City, measuring East to West : 14 ½ ft., and North to South : 21 ft., and bounded as follows **East by:** House belongs to Parvathaiah, **West by:** Kenchappa's Gadi Khane, **North by:** Road, **South by:** House belongs to Sri.Hanumanthaiah.

Ravi M B, ADVOCATE
66, 10th Main, 5th Cross, S.K.Layout, Jnanajyothinagar, Bangalore-560056.
Mob No. 9036074066

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the general public that my clients are negotiating with **Smt. Mallamma,** daughter of late Chinnappa, wife of late Obalappa, Aged about 58 years, residing at Doddarayappanahalli Village, Tubagere Hobli, Doddaballapura Taluk, Bangalore Rural District, presently residing at Ward No.14, Filature Quarters, Shidlaghatta, Chikkaballapura District-562105, to purchase Agricultural Land, more fully described in the schedule hereunder and hereinafter referred to as schedule property.

The said Mallamma has informed to my clients that, the schedule property is her self-acquired property, having acquired the same from Sri. Chinnappa son of Chikkamallappa under Sale Deed dated 07.03.1984, registered as document No.2403/1983-84, in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Doddaballapura and from the date of acquiring the said property, she is in peaceful physical possession and enjoyment of the schedule property as sole and absolute owner thereof, with clear and open notice to all the general public, without any let or hindrance from any individual person/s, statutory authorities, companies, etc.

If any person/s, statutory authorities, companies, etc., claiming any right, title, charge, ownership, what so ever, in respect of the Schedule Property or have any objections for the intended sale transaction or against ownership of Smt. Mallamma in respect of schedule property, may lodge such claim or objections with all supporting documents with the undersigned within **Seven Days** from the date of this Publication, failing which my clients will proceed with the intended sale and purchase the schedule properties by getting the registered Sale Agreement/Sale Deed/any such deeds executed in their favour from Smt. Mallamma, as if there are no objections or claims etc., from any individual person/s, statutory authorities, companies, etc., against the schedule property and any claim or objections made thereafter shall not be binding on my clients.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of Agricultural Lands in **Sy. No. 60/14, measuring 0-17 Guntas (Seventeen Guntas),** situated at Daddarayappanahalli Village, Tubagere Hobli, Doddaballapura Taluk & Bengaluru Rural District, and bounded (as per Sale Deed No. 2403/1983-84) on East by:- Narasimhaiah's Property; West by:- Narasimhaiah's Property, North By: Papanna's Property, South by: Ramakrishnaiah's Property.

Bhaskar Babu H J, Kanaka & Associates
Advocates & Solicitors
#215, 1st Floor, 1st Main Road, Sampangiramanagara, Bangalore-27.
Cell No: 9741777644/ 9740244365
Dt: 13.03.2026

ROSAR BRANCH

बैंक ऑफ़ बड़ौदा Bank of Baroda

Regional Office, Bengaluru South, 41/2, 4th floor, Vijaya Towers, Trinity Circle
M.G.Road, , Bengaluru -560001 .Phone No:080-25011441
E-mail:sarbes@bankofbaroda.com, website:www.bankofbaroda.com

SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES "APPENDIX-IV-A[See proviso to Rule 6 (2) & 8 (6)]

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 6 (2) & 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) Mortgagor(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to Secured Creditor, possession of which has been taken by the Authorized Officer of Bank of Baroda, Secured Creditor, will be sold on **15.04.2026 "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is"** basis for recovery of below mentioned accounts. The details of Borrowe/s/ Mortgagor/s/ and Guarantor/s/Secured Asset/s/Dues/Reserve Price/e-Auction date & Time, EMD and Bid Increase Amount are mentioned below –

Sl. No.	Name & address of Borrower/s, Mortgagor/s and Guarantor/ s	Short description of the immovable property with known Encumbrances, if any	A.Branch Name B.Account Number C.Total Dues	Date of E-Auction Time of E-Auction Start Time to End Time	A. Reserve Price, B. EMD Amount C. Bid Increase Amount	Status of Possession	Property Inspection Date And Time (with Prior Permission From Authorised Officer)
1	**Mr. Manjunath. K,** S/o Mr.Kabbalegowda, Residing at No. 29/1, 2nd Floor, 2nd Cross, 11th Block, Papareddypalya, Nagarabhavi, Bengaluru – 560072,	All that piece and parcel of the Residential Apartment bearing No. 307 on the Third Floor in the Residential Apartment building known as **'MVS ORCHID',** sites denoted as site numbers 53 to 70 amalgamated site no. 1, vide Khatha no. 504, Survey no. 30, bearing E-Khatha No: 150200101300320146, Kavalahosahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru Urban District, having Super Built Up Area measuring 1,080 Square Feet, constructed on the Schedule "A" Property, alongwith One Covered Car Parking Space in the Stilt Floor and bounded on: East by: Open to Sky, West by: Common Corridor, North by: Open to Sky & Portion of the flat no. 306, South by: Open to Sky & Portion of the flat no. 308. KNOWN ENCUMBRANCES: NIL	**A.**ROSARB SOUTH **B.**27710600008725 and 27710600003726 **C.Rs.57,86,808/-** (Rupees Fifty Seven Lakhs Eighty Six Thousand Eight Hundred and Eight Only) as on **08.03.2026** Plus further interest and charges till date..	**15.04.2026** From 2:00 PM to 6:00 PM	**A.** Reserve Price: **Rs.41,38,000/-** **B.** EMD: **Rs.4,13,800/-** Last date & Time of Receipt of EMD Amount : **15.04.2026 Upto 6.00 PM** **C.** Bid Increment Amount: **Rs. 10,000/-**	Symbolic Possession	After 12.03.2026

For detailed terms and conditions of sale, please refer/visit to the website link https://www.bankofbaroda.in/e-auction and online auction portal Baanknet.com Also, prospective bidders may contact the Authorised officer on Tel No.080-25011441, Mobile:9137960132
Note: Pending Charges regarding Property Tax, Electricity charges if any, E khata making charges to be borne by the highest bidder.

Date: 12.03.2026 Place:- Bengaluru Authorised Officer, Bank of Baroda

QuoteExpress ONE BOOK, ONE PEN, ONE CHILD, AND ONE TEACHER CAN CHANGE THE WORLD › MALALA YOUSAFZAI

BEFORE THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-II, AT BENGALURU

BSNL Building, 4th Floor, Telephone House, Rajbhavan Road, Bengaluru-560001

IN THE MATTER OF
CASE No.O.A.NO. 07/2024
Between:
IDBI BANK LIMITED
Retail Recovery-RBG
No. 58, IDBI House
Mission Road, Bangalore - 560 027
...Applicant
And
(1) Sri B Rajendra Kumar and Others
...Defendants

SUMMONS ISSUED UNDER RULE 23(VIII) OF THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL (PROCEDURE) RULES 1993 TO THE DEFENDANTS

Whereas the Applicant has instituted an application under section 19 of the Recovery of Debts Due to Banks and Financial Institutions Act, 1993 against you for recovery of a sum of **Rs.1,14,11,220.00/-** together with current and future interest and other reliefs.
You are hereby required to show cause within 30 days from the date of publication of this summons/notice or on **13.04.2026 at 10.30 A.M.** in person or by a Pleader/ Advocate duly instructed as to why the reliefs prayed for should not be granted. Take notice that in case of default the Application will be heard and determined in your absence.
GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF THIS TRIBUNAL ON THIS **05TH DAY OF MARCH, 2026.**

By Order Of The Tribunal,
Registrar
Debts Recovery Tribunal -II
Bengaluru

TO,
1. M/s. MM Destiny Developers
Partnership Firm
Represented By Its Partner
Smt Mrudhula Jogi
No. 203, Kalpana Pride Homes
9th Cross, Kodihalli
Bangalore -560008 **..Defendant No 2**
2. Smt. Muni Manasa Gopuram
W/o Sri Naveen Kumar
Aged About 34 Years, No. 2-2-1108/1/2
Opposite Petrol Bunk, New Nallakunta
Hyderabad, Telangana -500044 **..Defendant No 3**

PUBLIC NOTICE

I the undersigned advocate on behalf of my client **Smt. Muniyamma & others** have filed the above petition for the death certificate of one **Late.Narasimhaiah S/o late. Chikkapeddappa who was died on 05.10.1987** at Yembrahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Bengaluru Rural District. If any 3rd parties who have objections may dispute regarding the same can appear before the Hon'ble 2nd Additional Civil Judge and J.M.F.C at Devanahalli and the date hearing **on 07.05.2026 at 11.00A.M in C.Mis.No. 144/2026.**

By Order of the Court, Sd/- Chief Ministerial Officer
Civil Judge & JMFC Court, Devanahalli
Sri D.M. Eranna, Smt. Manjula & Sri Muneendra.M Advocate

QuoteExpress NEVER COMPLAIN AND NEVER EXPLAIN BENJAMIN DISRAELI

ANDHRA PRADESH POWER GENERATION CORPORATION LIMITED

(A Govt. of A.P. Undertaking)
VIDYUT SOUDHA, VIJAYAWADA-520004

NIT No. RFx No.610002237

APGENCO invites tenders for "Maintenance and Mechanized Housekeeping of 3rd, 4th & 5th floors of Vidyut Soudha main building, 2nd floor of canteen building (APGENCO premises) and Security offices at Vidyut Soudha, Gunadala, Vijayawada from 01.04.2026 to 31.03.2028" through APGENCO e-Procurement platform (**https://etender.apgenco.gov.in/irj/portal**). Estimated Contract Value (ECV) is **Rs.1,67,06,275/-.** Schedule Available Date & Time: 11.03.2026, 03.00 PM. Bid Submission closing Date & time: 18.03.2026, 3.00 PM. Technical RFx Response /Pre Qualification bid Opening Date 18.03.2026, 3.30 PM, Price Bid Opening Date & Time: after 3.30 PM on 23.03.2026.
Ph: (0866)-2526899/442. Detailed Tender Notice is placed in **www.apgenco.gov.in.**

DIPR No.4906PP/CL/ADVT/1/1/2021-22, Dt:12/03/2026

IF YOU'RE GOING THROUGH HELL, KEEP GOING › WINSTON CHURCHILL
QuoteExpress

IDFC FIRST Bank Limited

IDFC FIRST Bank

(erstwhile Capital First Limited, amalgamated with IDFC Bank Limited and presently known as IDFC First Bank Limited) | CIN : L65110TN2014PLC097792
Registered Office: - KRM Towers, 8th Floor, Harrington Road, Chetpet, Chennai- 600031.
Tel : +91 44 4564 4000 | Fax: +91 44 4564 4022

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 13 (2) OF THE SECURITIZATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002

The following borrowers and co-borrowers availed the below mentioned secured loans from **IDFC FIRST Bank Limited (erstwhile Capital First Limited, amalgamated with IDFC Bank Limited and presently known as IDFC First Bank Limited)** The loans of the below-mentioned borrowers and co- borrowers have been secured by the mortgage of their respective properties. As they have failed to adhere to the terms and conditions of the respective loan agreements and had become irregular, their loan were classified as NPA as per the RBI guidelines. Amounts due by them to **IDFC FIRST Bank Limited (erstwhile Capital First Limited, amalgamated with IDFC Bank Limited and presently known as IDFC First Bank Limited)** are mentioned as per respective notices issued more particularly described in the following table and further interest on the said amounts shall also be applicable and the same will be charged as per contractual rate with effect from their respective dates.

Sr No.	Loan Account No.	Type of Loan	Name of borrowers and co-borrowers	Section 13 (2) Notice Date	Outstanding amount as per Section 13 (2) Notice
1	68743945	Loan Against Property	1. Shivaraju M G 2. Guruvaiah V	14.02.2026	INR 3,64,882.95/-

Property Address : All That Piece And Parcel Of The Property Bearing No. 156/85/9, Having RDPR Unique Code No./property No. And E-katha No. 152900200900220572, According To Form No. 9 And 11a Issued By The Office Of The Rural Development & Panchayath Raj, Kodihalli Grama Panchayathi, Situated At Kodihalli Village, Kanakapura Taluk And Ramanagara District, Measuring East To West 9.144 Mtr. And North To South 14.630400000000001 Mtr., In Total Measuring 133.78 Sq. Meters And Thereon Building Measuring 72.74 Sq. Meters And The Property Bounded As: **East : Property Of Munivenkategowda, West : 3 Feet Sompu Belonged To Sannamma, North : Property Of Seetharamu, South : Public Road.**

You are hereby called upon to pay the amounts to **IDFC FIRST Bank Limited (erstwhile Capital First Limited, amalgamated with IDFC Bank Limited and presently known as IDFC First Bank Limited)** as per the details shown in the above table with contracted rate of interest thereupon from their respective dates and other costs, charges etc., within 60 days from the date of this publication, failing which the undersigned shall be constrained to initiate proceedings, under Section 13 (4) and section 14 of the SARFAESI Act, against the mortgaged properties mentioned hereinabove to realize the amount due to **IDFC FIRST Bank Limited (erstwhile Capital First Limited, amalgamated with IDFC Bank Limited and presently known as IDFC First Bank Limited) .** Further you are prohibited under Section 13 (13) of the said Act from transferring the said secured assets either by way of sale/lease or otherwise.

Sd/-
Authorized Officer
IDFC First Bank Limited
(erstwhile Capital First Limited, amalgamated with IDFC Bank Limited and presently known as IDFC First Bank Limited)

Date : 13.03.2026
Place : Ramanagar, Karnataka

ಶ್ರೀ ಗುರು ರಾಘವೇಂದ್ರ ಸಹಕಾರ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕ್ ನಿಯಮಿತ
SRI GURU RAGHAVENDRA SAHAKARA BANK NIYAMITHA

 # 15, Subbarama Chetty Road, Nettakallappa Circle, Basavenagudi, Bangalore-560004.
Ph.No. 26620360, 26620379, Fax : 080-26506895, E-mail : sgrsbn.bank@gmail.com, Website : www.raghavendrabank.com

SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, read with provision to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Whereas, the Bank has issued notice under Section 13 (2) of the SARFAESI Act, 2002 and in pursuant to and in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 13 (4) of the Act, the Authorised Officer, **Sri Guru Raghavendra Sahakara Bank Niyamitha, Basavangudi, Bangalore,** has taken Symbolic possession of the mortgaged properties including those more fully described hereunder, and the Bank has decided to sell the below mentioned properties on **"As is Where is, As is What is, and What ever There is"** condition, under the provisions of the SARFAESI Act read with the relevant rules of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Sl. No.	Name of the Borrower	Description of the Properties Boundaries & Measurement	Reserve Price EMD Amount and Date	Balance Outstanding Amount to be paid to Bank	Date & Time of E-Auction opening tender & place of auction
		Basavnagudi Branch, Bangalore			
1	**Mr. Chaluvaraju,** Residing at No 23, 8th A Cross, Kottige Pallya Main Road, Sajjepalya, Bangalore 560 091.	All that piece and parcel of the Property Bearing Kanesumari No 23, Gramathana No 26, Assessment No 2/6, Situated at Sajjepalya Village, Yeshawanthpura Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk, Presently under the Jurisdiction of BBMP Rajarajeshwarinagara Range, Laggere Sub-Range, SI NO 65, Property No 2/6/26/23, BBMP Kottigepalya Ward No.73, Measuring East to West towards North 43 feet towards South 40 feet North to South 30 feet bounded on: East by: Property of Leprosy Centre, West by: 25 feet Road, North by: Property No.24, South by: Property No.22. Residential property consists of RCC framed structure, having Ground Floor 564 sq ft, 1st floor 523 sq ft, 2nd Floor, 157 total plinth area is 1244 sq ft.	**Rs.1,09,05,000/- (Rupees one crore nine lakhs five thousand only) EMD: Rs.10,90,500/- (Rupees Ten lakhs ninety thousand five hundred only) on or before 2.00 PM, 15.04.2026**	**Rs 5,14,16,388/- (Five crore fourteen lakhs sixteen thousand three hundred and eighty eight only) as on 31-10-2025**	**16.04.2026 at 11.00 AM to 2.00 PM Sri Guru Raghavendra Sahakara Bank Niyamitha**
2	**M/s. Khandappa Nanjundappa,** No 207, 1st Floor, above Jodhpur Jewels, Rangaswamy Temple Street, Chickpet, Bengaluru 53.	All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Old No 38, New No 21 & 42 Deewan Khan lane, (D K Lane) Huriopet, (Darjeepet) Bangalore 560053 measuring East to West 42 " and North to South (11".06' & 29".06)/2 and bounded on East by : Road West by : property of Sarjapura Sarige Krishnappa, North by : property of Mathurabai Nanjappa & Tailor Muniswamy, South by : Annaiah Raju's Property. It is commercial building / Property consists of RCC Structure / Roofing bricks masonry , Ground Floor, 630 sq ft, 1st floor, 630 sq ft, 2nd floor 630 sq feet, 3rd floor 300 sq feet, total 2190 sqft,	**Rs. 1,57,12,000/- (Rupees one crore fifty seven lakhs twelve thousand only) EMD: Rs 15,71,200/- (Rupees fifteen lakhs seventy one thousand two hundred only) on or before 2.00 PM, 15.04.2026**	**Rs 12,44,35,053/- (Rupees Twelve crore forty four lakhs thirty five thousand and fifty three only) as on 31-05-2025**	**16.04.2026 at 11.00 AM to 2.00 PM Sri Guru Raghavendra Sahakara Bank Niyamitha**
3	**Mr.Sreedhar R. Residing at No.13, Sai Sunny Heights, Tata Nagar, Near BESCOM Office, Bangalore 560 072 and Guarantor :Dr. Srinivas R.** Residing at No 95, P. Square Homes, near Banaswadi Bus Stop, Bengaluru 560 043.	All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Site No.2, property No 7-1-3-105, Old Khatha No 1680, present Khata No 1769/1660 situated at Anjani Lay out, No 105, Block No 1, Bengaluru Road, CHINTAMANI , Chikka Ballapur Town, Ward No 7, measuring East to West 21.33 mtrs, North to South 12.19 mtrs in all measuring 260.13 sq mtrs (2800 sq.ft.) with a commercial building consisting of Ground Floor 1900 sq ft (having 5 shops) , 1st Floor 1900 sq ft (shop) , 2nd Floor 1900 sq ft (given for rent to gym) and terrace Floor 350 sq ft totally measuring 6050 sq.ft. of constructed area and bounded on East by : Bengaluru-Chintamani Highway, West by : Conservancy, North by : CMC Road and South by : Property No.3 of 'A' Block.	**Rs.4,72,59,000/- (Rupees Four Crore Seventy Two Lakhs Fifty Nine Thousand only) EMD: Rs.47,25,900/- (Rupees Forty Seven Lakhs Twenty Five Thousand Nine Hundred only) on or before 2.00 PM, 15.04.2026**	**Rs 4,36,80,271/- (Rupees four crore thirty six lakhs eighty thousand two hundred and seventy one only) as on 30.06.2024**	**16.04.2026 at 11.00 AM to 2.00 PM Sri Guru Raghavendra Sahakara Bank Niyamitha**
4	**Mr. Venkatesh V and Mrs. Geetha Venkatesh,** both residing at No 17, 5th cross, Venkateshwara lay Out, Suddaguntanapalya, Bangalore-560 009.	Property: All that piece and parcel of the Residential Property In Vacant Site Bearing No 336,Formed Out of Sy.Nos 7/1,2,3,4,5,6,8P,9/1,29/1,2,30/1,2, 37, 38/1,2,3, 39/2,4,5, 40,41/1, 42/1,2, 43, 44/1p,45&46 of kudlu village, Sarjapura hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru as per approved layout plan & order BDA/TPM/DD/ 1263/1992-93 Dated 12-11-1992 after inclusion into BBMP Singsandra Ward No.191, property bearing katha no 1953/336 AECS Layout Corner A Block, Koodlu measuring East to West (18'0"+58'0")/2 feet and north to south (56,0"+40'0")/2 feet totally 1824 sqft. The building consists of Stilt with parking, One unit of 2 BHK, Ground Floor with 2 Units of 2 BHK, 1st Floor, 2nd Floor and 3rd Floor with 3 units of 1 BHK in Each floor. Additional Information: Details of Building As per approved area and As per actual Area respectively follows like this : Stilt Approved area 478 sq ft, actual area (760 sq ft), GF approved area 478 sq ft, and as per actual area 760 sq ft, FF approved area 478 sq ft and as per actual area 760 sq ft , SF Approved area 478 sq ft and As per actual area 760 sq ft. Terrace Floor as per actual Area 760 sq ft. The total approved area is 1912 sq st and the actual area is 3800 sq ft. occupied with tenants. It is a RCC Framed Structure. And the Property is bounded on : East :Road West : Site No 335 North: Site No 337 South: Road	**Rs.3,22,65,800/- (Rupees Three crore twenty two lakhs sixty five thousand eight hundred only) EMD: Rs 32,26,600/- (Rupees Thirty two lakhs twenty six thousand six hundred only) on or before 2.00 PM, 15.04.2026**	**Rs 8,88,10,959/- (Rupees Eight crore, eighty eight lakhs ten thousand nine hundred and fifty nine only as on 30-09-2025**	**16.04.2026 at 11.00 AM to 2.00 PM Sri Guru Raghavendra Sahakara Bank Niyamitha**
5	**Mr. Elango M S/o Murugeshan C** Residing at No 21/22, 7th cross, Munireddy Lay out, KGF Reddy Lay out, Mahadevapura, Bangalore 560 048.	All that piece and parcel of the property Site No 21, Katha No 296 formed in Sy. No 178/3 situated at Mahadevapura Village, K R Puram Hobli, Bengaluru South Taluk, Bengaluru comes under the jurisdiction of Mahadevapura CMC after inclusion into BBMP Vijnanapura/ Mahadevapura Ward No 81, Katha No 21/178/3 measuring east to west 30 feet north to south 40 feet and bounded on East by : Site No 68, West by Site No 22, North by : Site No 20, South by : 30 ft Road. Additional Information: The Residential building consists of Ground Floor (900 sq ft) small temple and 1 residential unit of 1 BHK, 1st Floor (900 sq ft) One Residential unit of 1 BHK, 2nd Floor (700 sq ft) one Residential unit of 1 BHK. The property is located near to Gangamma Temple Road, Outer Ring Road, B Narayanapura Lake, NCC Maple heights apartments and Mahadevapura Main Road.	**Rs 1,49,70,000/- (Rupees One crore forty nine lakhs seventy thousand only) EMD: Rs 14,97,000/- (Rupees Fourteen lakhs ninety seven thousand only) on or before 2.00 PM, 15.04.2026**	**Rs 4,46,69,392/- (Rupees Four crore forty six lakhs sixty nine thousand three hundred and ninety two only) as on 31-07-2025**	**16.04.2026 at 11.00 AM to 2.00 PM Sri Guru Raghavendra Sahakara Bank Niyamitha**
6	**Mr. Raghavendra Shetty,** Residing at No 419, 1st Floor, 4th cross, 4th Main, Nagendra Block, Banashankar 3rd Stage, Bangalore 560 050.	Property in the name of Mrs. Therisamma Joseph represented by P A Holder, Mr. J Sai Prem. **Flat No 403 :** All that piece and parcel of the Residential Apartment bearing 371 sq ft undivided right, title and share in the land (measuring east to west (97 + 96.06)/2 feet and north to south (61 + 60) /2 feet) of the property bearing No 21, Khatha No 55/1, (Comes under BBMP Limits) situated a Bhattarahalli, village, Bidarahalli Hobli, Bengaluru South Taluk and Super built up area of 1495 sqft in the Third Floor , (Plinth Area of 1300 sq ft) proportionate share in the common area in the residential apartment bearing No 403, and one car parking area in the basement. Total Site Area : 5853 sq ft. Total bounded on : East by Passage : West by : Flat No 402, North by : Private Property South by : Flat No 404.	**Rs 30,37,000 /- (Rupees Thirty lakhs thirty seven thousand only) EMD: Rs. 3,03,700/- (Rupees Three lakhs three thousand seven hundred only) on or before 2.00 PM, 15.04.2026**	**Rs 4,69,47,632/- (Rupees Four crores sixty nine lakhs forty seven thousand six hundred and thirty two only) as on 31-07-2025**	**16.04.2026 at 11.00 AM to 2.00 PM Sri Guru Raghavendra Sahakara Bank Niyamitha**
7	**Mr. Raghavendra Shetty,** Residing at No 419, 1st Floor, 4th cross, 4th Main, Nagendra Block, Banashankar 3rd Stage, Bangalore 560 050.	**PROPERTY SCHEDULE :** Property in the name of Mrs. Therisamma Joseph represented by P A Holder, Mr. J Sai Prem. **Second Property : Flat No 404 :** All that piece and parcel of the 371 sq ft undivided right, title and share in the land (measuring east to west (97 + 96.06)/2 feet and north to south (61 + 60) /2 feet) of the property bearing No 21, Khatha No 55/1, situated a Bhattarahalli, village, Bidarahalli Hobli, Bengaluru South Taluk and Super built up area of 1350 sqft in the Third Floor , proportionate share in the common area in the residential apartment bearing No 404, and one car parking area in the basement bounded on : East by Passage : West by : Flat No 401, North by : Flat No 403 South by : Passage.	**Rs 29,42,000/- (Rupees twenty nine lakhs forty two thousand only) EMD: Rs. 2,94,200/- (Rupees Two lakhs ninety four thousand two hundred only) on or before 2.00 PM, 15.04.2026**	**Rs 4,69,47,632/- (Rupees Four crores sixty nine lakhs forty seven thousand six hundred and thirty two only) as on 31-07-2025**	**16.04.2026 at 11.00 AM to 2.00 PM Sri Guru Raghavendra Sahakara Bank Niyamitha**
8	**Mr. Nagaraj M Shetty** Residing at No 313, 26th cross, 6th Block, Jayanagara, Bangalore-560082.	**PROPERTY SCHEDULE :** Properties in the name of Mrs. Therisamma Joseph represented by P A Holder Sai Prem **Flat No 303 :** All that piece and parcel of the 371 sq ft undivided right, title and share in the land (measuring east to west (97.0 + 96.06)/ 2 feet and north to south (61 + 60.)/2, feet of the property bearing No 21, Khatha No 55/1, situated at Bhattarahalli village, Bidarahalli Hobli, Bengaluru South Taluk and Super built-up area of 1495 sq ft in the second floor proportionate share in the common area in the residential apartment bearing No 303, and one car parking area in the basement Total Site Area of the Building 5853 sq ft. property mortgaged is Flat No 303, comes under BBMP **Limit**s. RCC structure. And the Building is bounded on East by: Passage: West by; flat No 302 North by: passage, South by : flat No 304.	**Rs 30,35,000/- (Rupees Thirty lakhs thirty five thousand only) EMD: Rs.3,03,500/- (Rupees Three lakhs three thousand five hundred only) on or before 2.00 PM, 15.04.2026**	**Rs 4,61,63,514/- (Rupees Four crore sixty one lakhs sixty three thousand five hundred and fourteen only) as on 31-07-2025**	**16.04.2026 at 11.00 AM to 2.00 PM Sri Guru Raghavendra Sahakara Bank Niyamitha**
9	**Mr. Nagaraj M Shetty** Residing at No 313, 26th cross, 6th Block, Jayanagara, Bangalore 560082.	Properties in the name of Mrs. Therisamma Joseph represented by P A Holder Sai Prem **Flat No 304: Property No 304.** All that piece and parcel of the 371 sq ft undivided right, title and share in the land (measuring east to west (97.0 + 96.06)/ 2 and north to south (61 + 60.)/2, feet of the property bearing No 21, Khatha No 55/1, situated at Bhattarahalli village, Bidarahalli Hobli, Bengaluru South Taluk and Super built-up area of 1350 sq ft in the second floor proportionate share in the common area in the residential apartment bearing No 304, and one car parking area in the basement bounded on : East by : Passage : West by ; flat No 301 North by : Flat No 303, South by passage. Total site Area of the Whole Property : 5853 sq ft. Super built up area is 1350 sq ft which is mortgaged to the Bank.	**Rs 29,42,000/- (Rupees twenty nine lakhs forty two thousand only) EMD: Rs 2,94,200/- (Rupees two lakhs ninety four thousand two hundred only) on or before 2.00 PM, 15.04.2026**	**Rs 4,61,63,514/- (Rupees Four crore sixty one lakhs sixty three thousand five hundred and fourteen only) as on 31-07-2025**	**16.04.2026 at 11.00 AM to 2.00 PM Sri Guru Raghavendra Sahakara Bank Niyamitha**
10	**Mrs. Mahalakshmi,** W/o Elango No 21, 7th cross Munireddy lay out, Mahadevapura, Bangalore -560 048.	All that piece and parcel of the Residential property in the Site No 22, Katha No 461, formed in Sy. NO 178/3 situated at Mahadevapura Village, K R Puram Hobli, Bengaluru South Taluk, Bengaluru comes under the jurisdiction of Mahadevapura CMC after inclusion into BBMP Vijnananagara/ Mahadevapura Ward No 81, Khata No 22/178/1 measuring east to west 30 feet north to south 40 feet . The property is a RCC Frames Structure, having total plinth Area of 1312 sq ft. Ground Floor 705 sq ft, first Floor 607 Sqft. The building also consists of two more floors. The Ground floor – 1 Residential 1 Unit of BHK. The First floor – 2 residential Units of 1 BHK each, Second floor – 2 Residential Units of 1 BHK. Terrace floor 1 Residential Unit of 1 BHK. The building is and bounded on East by : Site No 21, West by : Site No 23, North by Property of Basavaraj : South By : Road.	**Rs. 1,16,55,000/- (Rupees One crore Sixteen Lakhs Fifty Thousand only) EMD: Rs 11,66,000/- (Rupees Eleven Lakhs Sixty Six Thousand only) on or before 2.00 PM, 15.04.2026**	**Rs 4,94,26,377/- (Four crore ninety four lakhs twenty six thousand three hundred and seventy seven only) as on 31-07-2025**	**16.04.2026 at 11.00 AM to 2.00 PM Sri Guru Raghavendra Sahakara Bank Niyamitha**
11	**Mala : D/o Gopinath** residing at No 18 5th floor, Sri Gnakshi Krupa, Gattigere Village, BEML 3rd Stage, Rajarajeshwari nagar, Bangalore 560 098.	All that Piece and Parcel of the Property bearing 2 BHK Flat No 402, in 3rd Floor, Present BBMP katha no. 97/4300/68/2, 2/4260/TF-2, measuring 1203 sq.ft of Super built up area put up in property forming part of Residential Building known as "RAYARA NERALU", and one covered car parking with undivided share of 254.50 sq.ft. Constructed on site No 29 & 30, BBMP K. No 4339/4300/68/2/2/4260, formed in the converted Re-Survey No 68/1, Measuring 2 Acre 34 Gunta Conversion order No B.DIS.ALN/SR/(S)71/1992-93 dated 06-07-1992, situated at Halagevaderahalli Village, Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore , presently within the limits of BBMP Ward No 160, Bangalore, East to West 70 feet and North to South 40 there on : East by: Road, West by: Site No.31, North by: Site nos. No.27 & 28, South by: Road. Additional Information: The Flat ins in a Middle Class Residential Area. Comes under BBMP Limits. The said property is located very near to BEML Lay out Cricket Ground, Kempegowda Road, & Rajarajeshwari Nagar. The whole building consists of Stilt floor, Ground floor,+ 5 Upper floors only. The Flat is in 3rd Floor, with 254.50 sq ft of undivided area of land and super built up area of 1203 sq ft. The Residential Flat which in 3rd Floor consists of Hall, Kitchen, Utility, 2 Rooms with 1 Attach Bath Room and one Common Bath Room.	**Rs 57,15,000/- (Seventy Five lakhs only) EMD: Rs 5,72,000/- on or before 2.00 PM, 15.04.2026**	**Rs 88,53,298/- (Rupees Eighty eight lakhs fifty three thousand two hundred and ninety eight only) as on 27-10-2025**	**16.04.2026 at 11.00 AM to 2.00 PM Sri Guru Raghavendra Sahakara Bank Niyamitha**

Terms and Conditions of Auction Sale: - (1) The Tender form can be collected from **Sri Guru Raghavendra Sahakara Bank Niyamitha, #15, Subbarama Chetty Road, Nettakallappa Circle, Basavanagudi, Bangalore-560004.**
For further details regarding property please contact, 1) Mr. Shrikant A Joshi, (91481 46516) mail Id support@raghavendrabank.com 2) You can also visit on our website www. raghavendrabank.com . Regarding particulars of E-Auction the service provider M/s Matex Net Private Limited, (73059 47966) , you can visit at https://assets.matexauctions.com : mail id : solutions@matexnet.com

Date: 12.03.2026
Place: Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Sri Guru Raghavendra Sahakara Bank Niyamitha, Bangalore

ICC suspends player, two top officials on corruption charges

The ICC has provisionally suspended fast-bowling all-rounder Javon Searles and two people linked to a franchise for multiple breaches of the apex body's anti-corruption codes during the 2023-24 Bim10 tournament in Barbados. Besides Searles, the ICC has suspended Titans team owner Chitranjan Rathod and team official Trevon Griffith from all cricket.

Iran team shouldn't be in US 'for their own life & safety': Trump

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Chennai

THE West Asia crisis is spilling over to the football field. A day after Iranian sports minister said their national football cannot participate at the FIFA World Cup in June-July this year, Donald Trump, the US President, has said they shouldn't 'come for their own life and safety'.

On his Truth Social handle, Trump posted: "The Iran National Soccer Team is welcome to The World Cup, but I really don't believe it is appropriate that they be there, for their own life and safety. Thank you for your attention to this matter!." Trump's latest statement had come only a few days after he had seemingly told Gianni Infantino that Iran would be welcome.

The World Cup is getting more and more politicized every passing day. With USA-Israel declaring war on Iran, things have become more complicated over the last few weeks. On Wednesday, Iran's sports minister, Ahmad Donyamali, had reportedly told state TV that: "Given that this corrupt government assassinated our leader, under no circumstances can we participate in the World Cup. Our children are not safe and, fundamentally, such conditions for participation do not exist. Given the malicious actions they have carried out against Iran, they have forced two wars on us over eight or nine months and have killed and martyred thousands of our people. Therefore, we certainly cannot have such a presence."

On Tuesday, Infantino, on his Insta handle, had posted: "We also spoke about the current situation in Iran, and the fact that the Iranian team has qualified to participate in the FIFA World Cup 2026. During the discussions, President Trump reiterated that the Iranian team is, of course, welcome to compete in the tournament in the United States."

While the 2026 World Cup is set to be shared between US, Mexico and Canada, Iran are to scheduled to play all three games in the US (two in California and one in Seattle). They are set to face Belgium, Egypt and New Zealand in the group stage. Interestingly, US and Iran will face each other if they finish second in their respective groups.

How will the IOC react?

It needs to be seen how the International Olympic Committee (IOC) will reacts especially with the Olympics being hosted in the country in 2028. The IOC had banned Russian and Belarusian athletes from competing under their flags after Ukraine's invasion in 2022.

It is very rare for a head of state come up with statements like this. There have been instances when the IOC had reacted quite sternly after countries refused to host players from nations due to political differences. India too had suffered in the past. In 2019, immediately after Pulwama, the Indian government refused to give visas to Pakistan shooters for an international shooting event that had doubled up as an Olympic qualifier. The IOC acted to that by stripping the status of that event as an Olympic qualifier.

The US have already banned visas for most Iranians with some exceptions for sportspersons.

Smaran seeks to make a mark in big league

After an improved show in domestic season, Karnataka batter is keen to step up for Sunrisers in the IPL season

CHANDRA PRABHU @ Chennai

NINE-HUNDRED and fifty runs. That is the amount of runs Karnataka's R Smaran amassed in the recently concluded Ranji season where his team went down to J&K in the final. After a stellar season for his state, the youngster is now keen to continue the momentum into the IPL season where he will turn up for Sunrisers Hyderabad. He was part of the team last year but the stint was cut short due to injury.

Smaran's red-ball prowess is well documented, especially over the last 12 months as he emerged as the brightest star for the state. However, he has upskilled himself massively in limited overs format as well. His first white-ball tournament — the 2024-25 Syed Mushtaq Ali Trophy season — was the starting point. Coming on the back of a lean patch in the Ranji Trophy that year, Smaran had a point to prove. He did so with a brisk 21-ball 49 against Gujarat, which had the likes of Axar Patel. Although that knock went in vain as Karnataka lost by 48 runs, Smaran felt that gave him the all-important confidence boost. "I think it was just about me hitting the ball well. I got a fifty against Tripura earlier in the same tournament. I think it was just a mental phase of me knowing that I am hitting the ball well. And it's just a matter of time before I convert my shots into a big 100. (It was also) the feel-good factor and the confidence heading into a game knowing that you are batting well and things will come your way," Smaran told this daily.

R Smaran has worked on his T20 batting over the last domestic season | KSCA

SMARAN'S NUMBERS IN SYED MUSHTAQ ALI TROPHY (DOMESTIC T20 TROPHY)

Year	Mat	Inn	NO	Runs	HS	Avg	BF	SR	100	50	0	4s	6s
2024	6	6	1	170	57	34.00	100	170.00	0	1	0	13	12
2025	7	7	2	319	72	63.80	201	158.70	0	2	0	19	18

That confidence then flowed well into the title-winning campaign at the Vijay Hazare Trophy, where the Bengaluru lad scored a match-winning ton in the final against Vidarbha. But coming into the second season after scoring a double-ton and a ton in the last two games of his first Ranji Trophy season, Smaran had to grow in different facets of his game. "I think for me, the work starts in the off-season as well with my coach. I liked batting longer in the off-season and try to work on certain areas that bowlers may target during the season. I also ensured that I am at least 80 per cent or 90 per cent equipped to handle whatever is thrown at me during the season, especially in red ball. So a lot of open net sessions and a lot of throw-downs I emphasised on with different kinds of balls. With a new ball, with an older ball, with a ball one side scratched and the other side reversing," the 22-year-old said.

That off-season grind has helped shine across formats. If having the likes of Karun Nair and KL Rahul allowed him to settle in the red ball side, Smaran was able to take that confidence into the limited-overs. In the 2025/26 SMAT, Smaran was Karnataka's top-scorer with 319 runs, averaging 63.80. "I think usually right from the beginning, to be an all-format player was my main goal and it is currently still my main goal to represent the country in all three formats. But yes, I think in my T20 game, I still have a lot of things to work on. Because the way T20 games are moving forward, it is already so fast-paced. where 180, 200 or even 210s are not safe scores. So going after the bowlers from ball one is something that I want to work on. Because I feel I am a kind of a guy who sometimes takes some time out there in the middle in the beginning. That is one aspect of my game that I would like to work on during this time at SRH is to start putting pressure on the bowlers from ball one." But that process, he says, may not come easily. "You always cannot keep hitting sixes and always bat with an extremely high strike rate. There are always times where you have to modulate your innings and adapt to the situation in case the wicket has fallen early. But yes, that is something that I have always had, that is taking the game deep and trying to finish off. Like any other format, T20 also requires a lot of repetition and a lot of practice needed. Like any other batter or like any other cricketer, I would also want to put in that work during this time before the IPL starts so that I am confident enough that I have both games."

Though SRH have the likes of Travis Head, Abhishek Sharma and Ishan Kishan, Smaran knows he will be ready as and when an opportunity comes along in the next two months.

Saurabh Walkar has been New Zealand's performance analyst since 2023

Dube shifted momentum, says NZ team analyst

FIROZ MIZA @ Chennai

INDIA top three — Sanju Samson, Abhishek Sharma and Ishan Kishan — were at their aggressive best hitting quickfire half-centuries and laying a solid foundation for a mammoth total against New Zealand in the T20 World Cup final. They were one of the reasons behind the co-hosts' emphatic triumph in Ahmedabad on Sunday with Shivam Dube being a factor as well.

Saurabh Walkar, New Zealand's performance analyst, believed the Mumbai all-rounder shifted the momentum in India's favour with his hammering of James Neesham in the final over. "The Indian team batted really well. The way they batted, the way they played aggressive cricket, I think that changed the game. How the top three batted was a factor and also the way Dube played in the fag end especially in the last over. That shifted the momentum because there is a difference between chasing 210-220 and chasing 250," Walkar, who has been associated with the Kiwi team since 2023, told this daily.

> **Before any game, I have to study the opposition and our squad and accordingly I give them inputs. I have to be prepared before speaking to coaches.**
>
> — Saurabh Walkar, NZ team analyst

Dube came in in the 19th over and was two off two balls at the start of the final over. He then plundered 24 runs from Neesham's over slamming two sixes and three fours to take the team's total to 255/5. He remained unbeaten on 26 off just eight balls. Overall, he scored 235 runs from eight innings and his strike rate of 169.06 was only behind Samson and Kishan as far as India are concerned. The surface at the Narendra Modi Stadium was always going to assist batters and chasing a target was the way to go for any team. New Zealand skipper Mitchel Santner did the same, fully aware that they might have to chase a 200-plus target. "We were expecting a 200 or 210 target as it was a batting track. The one big difference between semifinal and final was boundaries as they were bigger in Ahmedabad than Mumbai. The plan was to keep playing the natural game. When you are chasing such a huge total, you don't decide anything. Everyone is a professional and they know what needs to be done in a particular situation. They have to take their chances," Walkar, who also worked with the Mumbai Ranji team in the past, said on New Zealand's strategy while chasing the big total.

Off break bowler Cole McConchie, who played a key role in New Zealand's victory over South Africa in the semifinal, was surprisingly not in the playing XI for the final. Instead pacer Jacob Duffy was brought in for the all-important game. Walkar attributed the change to the wicket on offer at the venue. "We have seen South Africa's previous two-three matches. Their strike rate was around 140-150 against pacers. Against spinners, their SR was low. Besides, they had two left-handers, again there was (Aiden) Markram as well who could have been aggressive against the offie. As far as India were concerned, when they were struggling against an offie, they were playing with three lefties at the top. But then they included Sanju. Second, the wicket in Ahmedabad was a bouncy one made of red soil. So fast bowlers had help on that surface," Walkar explained.

Full story: newindianexpress.com

After sealing WC berth, India eye title triumph

ENS/AGENCIES

HAVING already secured their World Cup berth after their win against Wales, Indian women aim for the top prize at the FIH Women's Hockey World Cup Qualifiers. The first step towars that would be winning the semifinal against Italy here on Friday.

The Indian women's hockey team finished on top of Pool B with seven points from three matches. Scotland also collected same points but finished second in the group because of India's superior goal difference. The hosts registered two wins and one draw in the pool stage. Italy finished second in Pool A with four points after registering one win, one draw and one loss, giving the hosts a slight psychological edge ahead of the semifinal.

India will look to build on the impressive form of forward Navneet Kaur, who is currently the joint top-scorer of the tournament with four goals. In terms of head-to-head encounters, India and Italy have faced each other seven times since 2012. India have won five of those matches, while Italy have registered one victory and one game ended in a draw, giving the hosts a slight psychological edge. India's chief coach Sjoerd Marijn termed the achievement as a significant milestone. "Securing qualification for the FIH Hockey Women's World Cup 2026 is an important milestone for this group, and the players deserve a lot of credit for the way they have performed so far in the tournament," he said. "They have shown good discipline, composure and attacking intent throughout the pool stage. At the same time, our mindset is very clear -- we are not here just to qualify. We want to keep improving with every match and aim to win the tournament. The semifinal is another big challenge and we will approach it with full focus and intensity."

Swiss Open: Sat-Chi enter quarterfinals

AGENCIES @ Basel

WORLD No. 4 men's doubles pair Satwiksairaj Rankireddy and Chirag Shetty beat Japanese duo of K Yamashita/H Okamura 21-15, 15-21, 28-26 to enter the quarterfinals of the Swiss Open. They will face R Kjær/C Kjær in the next round. Earlier, Indian shuttler Tharun Mannepalli advanced to the men's singles second round after his opponent Kenta Nishimoto of Japan retired in the decider. Mannepalli, ranked 43rd in the world, was leading 16-21 21-16 7-2 when the fifth-seeded Nishimoto retired from the round of 32 match on Wednesday night due to a shoulder issue. Later in the day, The 24-year-old, who had reached the semifinals of the Macau Open last year, will next face Malaysia's Justin Hoh.

In women's singles, Malvika Bansod failed to get past Thailand's world No. 4 Pornpawee Chochuwong, going down 11-21 15-21 in a lop-sided contest. It was her fourth defeat in as many meetings against the Thai player.

EXPRESS READ

Final batch of SA, WI players leave India

DUBAI: The last batch of South African and West Indian players stranded in India after the T20 World Cup have departed, the ICC announced on Thursday, ending a crisis caused by the raging West Asia conflict. While nine WI players had left earlier, remaining 16 were booked on commercial flights. A 29-member Proteas contingent has also departed.

Three Indians win at Boxing Futures Cup

BANGKOK: Gunjan, Radhamani Longjam and Chandrika Pujari registered victories in their respective bouts as the Indian Youth boxing team recorded a series of strong performances on the fifth day of the World Boxing Futures Cup on Thursday. Gunjan (48kg) secured a convincing 5-0 unanimous decision victory over Poland.

Bhambri enters maiden ATP Masters 1000 semis

INDIAN WELLS (USA): India's Yuki Bhambri entered his maiden ATP Masters 1000 semifinal as he and his Goran Goransson defeated Alexander Erler and Andrea Vavassori in straight sets in Indian Wells here. The 33-year-old had previously reached the doubles quarter-finals at the Masters 1000 level twice.

Forged visa applications raise concerns

AGENCIES @ Chennai

A SUSPECTED human trafficking attempt has come to light after individuals posing as Indian wrestlers sought visas from the Hungarian Embassy in New Delhi for a purported competition in Budapest, prompting the Wrestling Federation of India (WFI) to clarify that the documents submitted by them were fake.

The embassy sought verification from WFI on Thursday after receiving visa applications supported by a recommendation letter allegedly issued by the national federation on March 4 for participation in an "international wrestling training and competition programme" scheduled in Budapest from March 15 to 22.

The WFI swiftly responded and said that the letter was forged and had not been issued by the federation.

"This has reference to your e-mail dated March 12 seeking clarification regarding the authenticity of the document... the attached letter is fake and has not been issued by the Wrestling Federation of India (WFI)," WFI president Sanjay Kumar Singh said in a reply to the embassy.

The federation also pointed out discrepancies in the document, including the use of the name of a former office-bearer in an incorrect capacity.

CHAMPIONS LEAGUE

Valverde steps up as Madrid batter City, PSG sink Chelsea

AGENCIES @ Paris

FEDERICO Valverde scored an unlikely hat-trick as Real Madrid trounced Manchester City 3-0 in the first leg of their Champions League last-16 tie Wednesday, while holders Paris Saint-Germain beat Chelsea 5-2.

Premier League leaders Arsenal snatched a 1-1 draw at Bayer Leverkusen to preserve their unbeaten record in Europe this season, while Bodo/Glimt continued their fairytale run with a 3-0 win over Sporting. Alvaro Arbeloa's record 15-time European champions avenged their loss to City in the league phase as Valverde struck three times in the first half to hand Madrid full control of the tie despite the absence of the injured Kylian Mbappe. Valverde ran onto a long kick from Thibaut Courtois and dribbled past Gianluigi Donnarumma to slot home and give Madrid the lead against City as the teams met in a knockout tie for the fifth season running. The Uruguayan midfielder arrowed a low drive into the far corner to double Madrid's advantage and then completed his hat-trick with a sublime touch and finish after linking up with Brahim Diaz. City could have suffered an ever heavier defeat but Donnarumma saved a second-half penalty from Vinicius Junior after the City goalkeeper brought down the Brazilian. PSG have one foot in the quarter-finals after two late goals from Khvicha Kvaratskhelia.

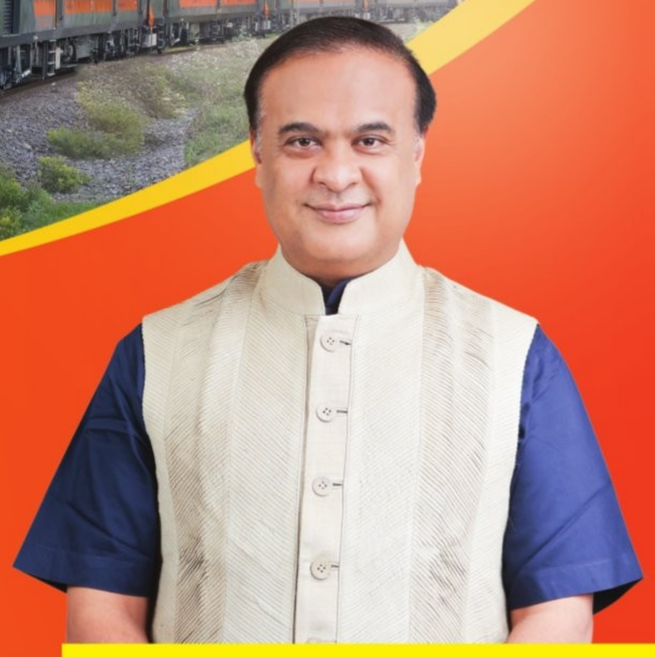
Real Madrid's Federico Valverde (C) celebrates with his teammates | AP

Arsenal leave it late

Arsenal needed an 89th-minute penalty from Kai Havertz against his former club to snatch a draw away to Bayer Leverkusen. Robert Andrich headed in a corner for Leverkusen moments into the second half to leave Arsenal staring at defeat in Germany. But Havertz came off the bench and converted from the spot after a foul on Noni Madueke to ensure Arsenal remain favourites to reach the quarter-finals.

Government of Assam

Transforming Connectivity, Accelerating Development in BTC area & across Assam



Chief Guest

Shri Narendra Modi
Prime Minister

August Presence

Dr Himanta Biswa Sarma
Chief Minister, Assam

Shri Sarbananda Sonowal
Union Minister, Ports, Shipping & Waterways

Shri Hagrama Mohilary
Chief, BTC

Shri Biswajit Daimary
Speaker, Assam Legislative Assembly

Shri Urkhao Gwra Brahma
Minister, Handloom Textiles & Sericulture, etc., Assam

Shri Charan Boro
Minister, Welfare of Bodoland, etc., Assam

Shri Jayanta Mallabaruah
Minister, Housing & Urban Affairs, etc., Assam

Shri Joyanta Basumatary
MP, Kokrajhar HPC

13 March 2026 | 2:30 PM | Greenfield, Kokrajhar

Strengthening Railway Infrastructure

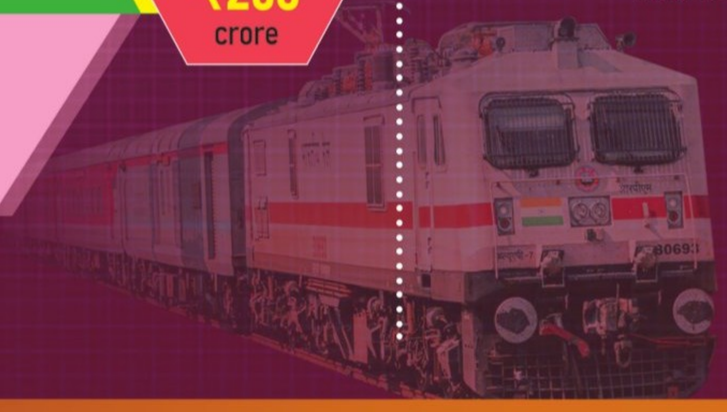
Foundation Stone laying for

Wagon POH (Periodical Overhauling) Workshop
Bashbari

Project cost ₹256 crore

Features & Benefits

- Modern wagon maintenance facility for **inspection, repair** and **overhauling**
- Improved freight **efficiency, reliability** and **safety**
- Local **employment** generation



Flagging off of

- Kamakhya–Charlapalli **Amrit Bharat** Express
- **Guwahati–New Jalpaiguri** Express
- **Narangi–Agartala** Express

Bhoomipujan

Flyovers

- **Gossaigaon Chariali** (DK Road) |↔| 1.05 km
- **Balajan Tiniali** (Jwhwlao–Dwimalu Road) |↔| 680 m
- **Debargaon Junction** (Jwhwlao–Dwimalu Road) |↔| 760 m
- **Titaguri** (Jwhwlao–Dwimalu Road) |↔| 715 m

Bridges

- **Sankosh river** (Kachugaon–Sankosh Road) |↔| 2.7 km
- **Beki river** (Khagrabari–Udalguri Chowk Road) |↔| 2.96 km

Asom Mala 3.0

|↔| Total length **917 km**

Roads **69** | Bridges **37**

Districts covered **34**

Total Project cost ₹3,258 crore

Total Project cost ₹1,101 crore

Features

- Smoother urban mobility
- Improved intra-state and inter-state connectivity
- Boost to tourism, agriculture, healthcare, etc.

DIPR/D/NIXP/968/13-Mar-26

LIVE DD News | www.pmindiawebcast.nic.in

Published by Directorate of Information and Public Relations, Assam

Connect with us @diprassam dipr.assam.gov.in